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COL. R. C. B. ANDERSON PRESIDES FOR LAST TIME AT CORPS DINNER

Successful Year Reported:
Over 270 Recruits Enroll

CHINESE COMPANY IS FORMED: GOVERNOR PAYS TRIBUTE TO DEPARTING COMMANDANT

LIEUTENANT-COLONEL R.C.B. ANDERSON, M.C., The Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders, who was appointed in 1936 as the first Regular Commandant of the Hong Kong Volunteer Defence Corps and who is leaving the Colony in July, presided for the last time at the annual dinner and presentation of prizes of the Corps held at the Volunteer Headquarters last night.

There was a large attendance including many distinguished guests, among them being His Excellency the Governor, Sir Geoffrey Northcote, K.C.M.G., Honorary Colonel of the Corps, who distributed the prizes, and Brigadier F.W.L. Bissett, D.S.O., M.C.

IN HIS SPEECH IN WHICH HE GAVE AN INTERESTING and comprehensive survey of the Corps activities during the past twelve months, Colonel Anderson said that, on the whole it had been a successful year for the Corps. It had certainly been a very busy one for 274 new members had been enrolled and two new units formed, a Chinese Company and a Corps Pay Section. The creation of a Chinese Company, said the Commandant, was an innovation in the Corps but he was glad to be able to say that it had already proved a successful one.

Referring to recruiting Colonel Anderson remarked: "I know that there are a large number of men in this Colony who are not averse to volunteering but who cannot make up their minds to take the plunge. It is to them and to them only that I wish to appeal this evening."

In conclusion, Colonel Anderson paid tribute to all those who had helped him in his task, and said that he owed a very special debt of gratitude to his predecessor in command, Colonel H.B.L. Dowbiggin, O.B.E.

SERIOUS FOOD SITUATION IN MADRID

Strict Rationing Instituted

Madrid, May 20. The food situation in Madrid is becoming more and more serious. After a conference today between the Mayor of Madrid and the Valencia authorities, it was announced that the daily food ration for adults would be reduced to 100 grammes of bread and 400 grammes of potatoes or rice. Shopkeepers raising prices have been threatened with severe punishment.—(Transocean).

"DAY OF SOLIDARITY" May 29 will be celebrated as "Day of Solidarity with Spain" throughout Italy and her overseas territories, according to an announcement issued today.—(Transocean).

VILLAFRANCA TAKEN

Salamanca, May 20. Although bad weather continues on the Teruel front and ten centimetres of snow fell, Nationalist Spanish troops consolidated their positions today from Villafraanca del Cid to the point north of Albarran and advanced about eight kilometres, capturing the important village of Villafraanca del Cid.—(Transocean).

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LEAGUE SECRETARY



A recent picture of M. Josef Avenol, Secretary-General of the League of Nations.

Clashes Usher In Czech Elections

HERR HENLEIN TO MEET AUTHORITIES NEXT WEEK

Prague, May 20. The municipal elections are taking place on Sunday. Tension is being felt in the Sudeten districts while minor clashes are reported in some towns.

The Executive Committee of the Sudeten German Party is meeting in Prague tomorrow but their leader, Herr Konrad Henlein, is at present in Germany where he is spending his holiday.

It is understood that there will be no meeting between Herr Henlein and the Czechoslovakian Government until next week.—(Reuter).

H.K.-CANTON TRUNK SERVICE

Telephone service between Hong Kong and Canton has not been restored. The trunk line was cut on Thursday. The damage was in the Chinese section but the cause was not known.

KILLED IN ACTION



Picture shows representatives from the Chinese army offering condolences to the relatives of the late General Wang Mingchang, Commander of the 120th Division, who was killed in action at Tenghsien. (Photo, C.M.P.S.).

GOVERNOR DOES NOT WISH TO BE AN ALARMIST, BUT — Hong Kong Must Be Prepared

"Hong Kong will not have six months in which to organize its forces at the outbreak of war; it will be lucky if it has six days," declared His Excellency the Governor, Sir Geoffrey Northcote, when speaking at the annual dinner of the Hong Kong Volunteer Defence Corps last night.

An island fortress such as Hong Kong could not in these modern days expect to have any but the shortest possible warnings before it found itself under attack.

"It is vitally necessary," remarked Sir Geoffrey, "that the Corps should be complete in numbers and training with the least possible notice every man will be in his place and, moreover, that if and

Chinese Air Aces In New Exploits

PENGPU AIR FIELD BOMBED

Hankow, May 20. While the two Chinese bombers which raided Japan this morning were landing at the Hankow aerodrome, two more bombers took off at noon to bomb Japanese concentrations in the vicinity of Pengpu, Chinese reports state. Due to bad weather conditions and thick clouds the Chinese bombers could not locate the troop concentrations, so they bombed the Japanese aerodrome at Pengpu, aiming their missiles at aeroplanes on the landing field and also on the hangars.

It is also reported that 10 Chinese pursuit planes this morning encountered over 30 Japanese aircraft over Lanfeng. In the ensuing engagement the Chinese planes, although said to be far outnumbered, fought well.

Aviation headquarters here are waiting further details of the battle.—(Reuter).

JAPANESE REPORT

Peking, May 20. Ten Soviet manufactured planes of the Chinese Air Force were shot down early this morning by Japanese airmen in a battle near Lanfeng on the Lunghai Railway, according to an official Japanese report.—(Reuter).

Military quarters here announce the severe bombing of a column of Japanese troops north of Mengcheng by a Chinese air squadron yesterday morning. Heavy losses were claimed to have been inflicted on the invaders.—(Central News).

FULL DETAILS OF CHINESE AIR VISIT TO JAPAN ON PAGE 9

Chinese Bank Manager Murdered

TIENTSIN CRIME CAUSES STIR

Hankow, May 20. Mr. Keng Hsi-meng, manager of the Tai Hing native bank in Tientsin, was murdered by two unidentified gunmen in the French Concession of that city on Tuesday evening, according to dispatches reaching here today.

Great significance is attached to the case as the partners of the bank are General Sung Cheh-yuan and some of his subordinates, including General Liu Ju-min, former Chairman of the Changhai Provincial Government.

General Sung was in command of the 29th Route Army and it was to him that the Japanese ultimatum was addressed after the Lukouchiao incident.

NO ARRESTS MADE

After committing the crime the gunmen fled in a motor car bearing the licence number 405, according to the report, which adds that the car in question is owned by Hsu Sin-ming, chairman of the so-called Advisory Council of the puppet regime in Peking. The French authorities have so far made no arrests.—(Central News).

when the call comes in those parts of our defences which have been entrusted to the Corps no place will then be found unfiled."

Although he did not wish to be an alarmist, said Sir Geoffrey, he urged upon every British subject in Hong Kong who was in a position to do so, to join up now with one of the Volunteer Forces.

"I urge upon every firm in this Colony to give every opportunity, indeed every inducement, to men of serviceable age, to join up and to do their training," said His Excellency.

RUMANIAN BEAUTY



Madame Lupescu, influential Rumanian figure and close friend of King Carol.

Foreign Office Talk Watched With Interest

LORD HALIFAX SEES FRENCH MINISTER OF JUSTICE

London, May 20. The French Minister of Justice, M. Paul Reynaud, who is visiting England in connection with the annual congress of the "Alliance Francaise" at Leeds, called this morning at the Foreign Office where he had a long conversation with Lord Halifax, British Foreign Secretary.

No official statement concerning the conversation has been issued since, as is carefully stressed on both sides, the French Minister's journey is "of a purely private nature."

Political circles, however, attach great importance to the talk between the two statesmen at a time when the British Government is making efforts to bring about the resumption of the Franco-Italian negotiations.

CANTON IS NOT STIRRED BY JAPANESE TALK OF ATTACKING HANKOW

Calm Situation Reflected In Decline Of H.K. Dollar

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT)

Canton, May 20. Japanese talk of attacking Hankow, thereby removing the importance of Canton as credited to Mr. Tatsuo Kawai, spokesman of the Tokyo Foreign Office, and former Consul-General here, has failed to create any stir here today.

There were also reports of an attack on this city, but these threats are not seriously taken in well-informed quarters, although as an emergency measure the Grinding Knife Gate and Ngal Gate, between Tolshan and Chunshan districts, are closed to shipping.

Blocking of these two waterways does not affect river traffic between Canton and Macao or other water routes. The closing of the two deltas was made as a result of manoeuvres by two Japanese warships off the coast on May 17.

The calm situation is reflected by the gradual decline of the Hong Kong dollar, which is worth about \$1.80 today as compared with \$2.00 on May 17, while the prices of rice are correspondingly going down.

General Wu Te-chen, Chairman of the Kwangtung Provincial Government, has put into effect his plan of lowering the value of Hong Kong currency and that of imported rice. Air raid alarms have not been heard here for the past two days owing to cloudy and rainy weather, which made it dangerous for Japanese planes to carry out their raids. The weather this morning was unfavourable, and the Japanese pilots may have to take another day off.

GERMANY'S VIEW

Berlin, May 20. The National Zeitung, which expresses General Goering's views, commenting on the breaking-off of Franco-Italian negotiations, said in uncompromising language today that Germany and Italy will not permit the frontier between France and Spain to be opened to let French and Soviet war material enter Spanish Government territory.—(Reuter).

BRITISH AIR MISSION

Confers With Officials In Canada

Ottawa, May 20. The British Air Mission is conferring with the Ministry of National Defence of Canada. Further discussions with American aeroplane manufacturers is expected to take place in New York during the week-end. It is understood that a number of factories are ready to submit tenders for bombers for the R.A.F. The Mission, however, emphasises that it has no power to place orders but is only investigating conditions with the view of purchases in the future.—(Reuter).

GENERAL WU THANKS RELIEF DONOR

Canton, May 20. General Wu Te-chen, Chairman of the Kwangtung Provincial Government, has written to Mr. Ho Tse-ting, a prominent merchant here, thanking him for his generous donation of \$10,000 for the relief of war victims.—(Central News).

NEW BRITISH BATTLESHIPS

London, May 20. Two battleships are provided for in the British naval programme for 1938, and construction will commence next autumn. The tonnage of each of the ships writes the Daily Telegraph's naval correspondent, will be over 40,000 and possibly attain 45,000 tons.—(Transocean).

THE DOLLAR

T.T. ON NEW YORK: 308.
T.T. ON LONDON: 15.213/164.

London Silver Market

(Our Own Correspondent).
London, May 20. London silver prices today were up 1/16 as follows:—
May 19. May 20.
Spot.....18-11/16 18-3/4
Forward.....18-7/16 18-1/2

AMOY BEFORE INVASION



A panoramic view of Amoy Island and Kulangsu (foreign settlement) taken just before the Japanese attack on the port. (Photo, C.M.P.S.).

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RACE 1 (2 P.M.)		RACE 6 (4.30 P.M.)	
Handicap Eve	1	Vixen Tor	1
Pinfarthings	2	Lucky Lad	2
Expression Time	3	Aztec	3
RACE 2 (2.30 P.M.)		RACE 7 (5 P.M.)	
Strathroy	1	Mac's Second Venture	1
Courting Eve	2	Stymie	2
Electron	3	Split Hand	3
RACE 3 (3 P.M.)		RACE 8 (5.30 P.M.)	
Scenic View	1	Laughing Buddha	1
Rose Queen	2	Smiling Thru	2
King's Lead	3	Soldier of China	3
RACE 4 (3.30 P.M.)		RACE 9 (6 P.M.)	
Dekko	1	Estover	1
Election Time	2	Racing Boy	2
Final Triumph	3	Diogenes	3
RACE 5 (4 P.M.)		DAILY DOUBLE	
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New Star	3	Mac's Second Venture	

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THE MILWAUKEE ROAD

VOLUNTEER DINNER

CORPS ACTIVITIES REVIEWED

(Continued from Page 1)

The great interest His Excellency always shows in our work and his readiness to give favourable consideration to all proposals beneficial to volunteering has been a source of great encouragement to all those responsible for the administration of this Corps and an incentive to all ranks to show themselves worthy of this consideration.

IMPORTANT EVENTS

Since our last annual dinner one event of importance has occurred to which I should like to refer. This is the Coronation of Their Majesties the King and Queen at which this Corps was represented by the Senior Volunteer Officer and the Senior Volunteer Warrant Officer on the Active List, Major Mitchell and C.S.M. Everest. I know our representatives and the Corps in general esteemed it a very high honour that they should have been permitted to participate on that memorable occasion and I have no doubt that the events of that period will live long in the memories of those who attended.

We are all very much indebted to Major Mitchell for presenting to the Corps, on his return to the Colony, the portraits of Their Majesties the King and Queen which can be seen in this hall this evening.

We are very proud to possess these pictures especially as they have been graciously autographed for us by Their Majesties.

SUCCESSFUL YEAR

I think I may say that on the whole, this has been a successful year for the Corps. It has certainly been a very busy one: 274 new members have been enrolled and two new units have been formed, a Chinese Company and a Corps Pay Section.

The creation of a Chinese Company is an innovation in this Corps but I am glad to be able to say that it has already proved a successful one. The anxiety to join and the keenness and enthusiasm exhibited by all those who have been enrolled ensured the success of this Company from the very beginning. I congratulate Captain Branson and his staff on the rapid progress that has been made, and on behalf of all other units in the Corps, I extend a very hearty welcome to the Chinese Company.

Colonel Rogers has already taken the Pay Section under his wing and there I am quite content to leave it. The Editor of the Corps Journal has also the honour of commanding the Pay Section and therefore I feel that its activities will probably receive ample publicity.

EFFICIENCY

Those of you who were present at the annual dinner last year will remember that I altered the conditions under which the Efficiency Cup was awarded: I am applying the same rules this year and once again the tactical efficiency of the unit and its readiness for war have been the principle considerations in awarding this cup.

Before I announce the winners I should like to apologise to the Coast Defence Units, and by them I mean both batteries and the Engineer Company, for once again I have not taken them into consideration. The lines on which you are trained make comparison with other units almost impossible and I must ask you to rest content with the knowledge that the C.R.A. and all the Regular Officers who have assisted in your training have expressed themselves as very satisfied with your progress. It is in keeping with the reputation of these units that their efficiency under these conditions should have increased rather than diminished.

THE WINNERS

The Efficiency Cup for M.G. Units of the Corps has been won this year by the Mobile Column. The M.M.G. Platoon and the Armoured Car Section, who together comprise the Mobile Column have contributed equal shares to the winning of this Cup. I am sure it will be the general opinion that the winning unit has worked hard for and well deserved its win. I personally congratulate Captain Williams, Lieut. Way and Lieut. Hamilton, and those under their command, on their success and I do so also on behalf of all other units in the Corps.

Competition was very close and it was no easy win. These Units, and there were several, who came close to the winners must be satisfied with knowing that they were close enough to have a good chance of reversing the result next year.

PORTUGUESE SUCCESS

The Cup for the most efficient platoon in the Portuguese Com-

panies has been won for the second year in succession by No. 11 Platoon commanded by Mr. D'Almada. I congratulate him and the members of his Platoon but I warn them that it is not my intention that the Cup should become their property should they be successful again next year.

There are two more individual Cup winners to whom I must refer at this stage and it is curious that both should also be winners for the 2nd year in succession. Captain Sequeira has once again won the Cup, so kindly presented by His Excellency the G.O.C. to the Volunteer who makes the best aggregate score in the various matches that go to comprise the competition for H.E. the Governor's Prize at the Bisley Meeting. I congratulate Captain Sequeira.

The other is Flight Cadet W. E. Peers who has won the Cup presented by Mr. W.H. Bell to our most efficient pilot. I am sorry that Flight Cadet Peers is not able to be with us this evening, as I should like to have congratulated him, not only on winning the Cup, but also on being our first pilot to obtain a 'B' licence.

CLOSE COMPETITION

The competition for the M.G. Trophy was a very close affair and was noteworthy for two events—the first being that it was won by the dark horses of the competition, No. 3 Company winning by 6 points from No. 2 Company. It was gratifying to learn that the judges were unanimously of the opinion that the winners were the best all round team in the competition, the second noteworthy event being that the runners up, the Scottish Company, proved once and for all that English ideas of Scottish hospitality are often based on misconceptions.

I doubt if any other national team would, even though it was under a misapprehension, treat their victorious opponents to such a liberal supply of beverage. I congratulate the winners on their success and the runners up on the way they have upheld our national character.

RIFLE MEETING

The Corps Rifle Meeting took place on Kowloon Ranges on the 24th of last month. In spite of very adverse weather conditions all events on the programme were completed and the standard of shooting of the leading teams was distinctly good under the circumstances.

We congratulate L/Cpl. Ribeiro of the A.A. Company on winning the Championship, also the runner up—Sergt. Baleros of the same unit. It is worth recording that the Blake Shield was also won by this unit and that their team of four obtained the first three places in the individual Championship.

We also congratulate the Scottish Company on their success in the other team events. They have shown us all that old men can still shoot and that the ordinary Saturday evening entertainment in Hong Kong can be indulged in without the eye being seriously affected on the Sunday morning.

RIFLE CLUB FORMED

I should like to take this opportunity of informing the Corps that a Rifle Club, affiliated to the H.K.R.A., has been formed within the Corps and that I hope in this way to encourage Volunteers to interest themselves in rifle shooting and to take a larger part in the H.K.R.A. weekly shoots. H.E. the Governor has very kindly approved a scheme whereby the supply of ammunition to members of this Corps Rifle Club will be very much facilitated. I am sure no one would be more pleased than H.E. if the improved facilities for shooting should result in a Volunteer winning his prize at the next Bisley meeting.

H.E. the G.O.C. has, on every possible occasion, stressed the importance to the Colony of the Volunteer Corps and I should like to thank him and his Chief Staff Officer, Colonel Irwin, for the advice, assistance and encouragement we have received from their hands during the year under review. We are all sorry that the G.O.C. is unable to be with us tonight but he has sent me a message which he has asked me to read to you this evening.

G.O.C.'s MESSAGE

It is as follows:—
"I expect that you will be making a speech sometime during the Annual Volunteer Dinner!"

"If you do I would be grateful if you would broadcast my very best wishes to the assembled company for a most successful evening. I am particularly sorry not to be able to be present on this occasion for I would have liked to tell the

Corps, in person, how grateful I am for their services in the past year and how much I hope for their continued and even greater services in the year to come."

I should like also to express my thanks to Brigadier Bissett and the staff of the Hong Kong Infantry Brigade, to the Heads of Services at Command Headquarters and their staff and to the O.S. The 2nd Bn. The Royal Scots, the 1st Bn. The Middlesex Regiment and the 8th Heavy Brigade, R.A. I have to rely to a very great extent, on Regular Instructors to train the Corps. The increase in strength has necessitated my making greater demands than in former years and I am glad to record that I have always received very generous assistance on all occasions from all units and departments. The Corps themselves will be the first to acknowledge the help they have received from their Regular Army Instructors.

NAVY THANKED

I am very pleased to have with us this evening Commodore Dicken of the Royal Navy and I have great pleasure in thanking him, Captain Whitmarsh and the Royal Marines of H.M.S. Tamar on behalf of all ranks of No. 2 Battery, for the very valuable work they have done for that unit throughout the year.

To Group Captain Peck and the Officers of the Royal Air Force and to Squadron-Leader Smith and the staff of the Far East Flying Training School, I am much indebted for the instruction and training of the Volunteer Air Arm.

I must include in my expressions of thanks to all those who have helped me, a reference to the Hong Kong Press. We owe a great deal to the Press. The publication of our weekly orders and the generous publicity given to all our activities is of great value to, and is much appreciated by, the Corps.

RECRUITING

I make no apologies on an occasion such as this for referring once again, but for the last time I assure you, to recruiting. Many of you will probably think I should have omitted all reference to this subject in view of the fact that I have reported a net increase of nearly 200, if that be so then I ask you to remember that the formation of new units is responsible for the major part of that increase and that the strength of old units has not changed to any great extent.

I know that there are a large number of men in this Colony who are not averse to volunteering but who cannot make up their minds to take the plunge. It is to them and to them only that I wish to appeal this evening. I can do so in no better way than by repeating the words of a famous politician when broadcasting an appeal for A.R.P. workers.

He said "I have never doubted that they will come in their hundreds but they will come untrained, and, for the work that we will be required to do, one man trained beforehand will be worth three or four who come at the last minute." I should like to go even further than that and say that a large influx of untrained men would be an embarrassment in the early stages of an emergency.

ADVISORY BOARD

We extend a hearty welcome to all our guests and among them it gives me great pleasure to see so many members of our Advisory Board. We are always pleased when they interest themselves in our work and I do ask them not to be content with just one annual visit. I should like them to feel that they are always welcome here and to realise that a casual visit now and again will always be appreciated.

I am deeply indebted to the Heads of business houses and firms in Hong Kong for the assistance they have given me and for the consideration they have always shown me. It is perhaps unfortunate that this year the conditions which have made it such a busy year for many business houses in Hong Kong should be the very same conditions that made it necessary for the Volunteer Corps to increase its efficiency.

All difficulties were, however, overcome and I should like to assure you that I am grateful for the way you me, especially in the busy months of November and December last, when you released so many volunteers for the annual camps.

LAST ADDRESS

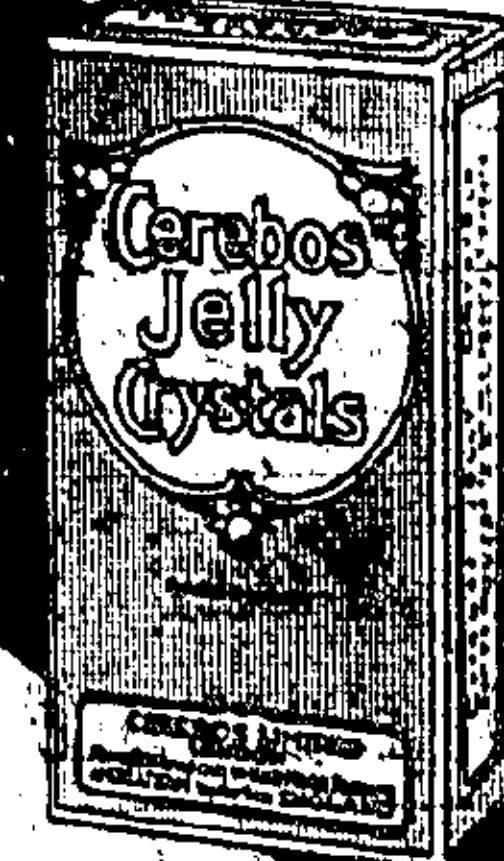
Gentlemen, this will be my last opportunity, before my departure in two months time, of addressing the Corps as a whole and I can-

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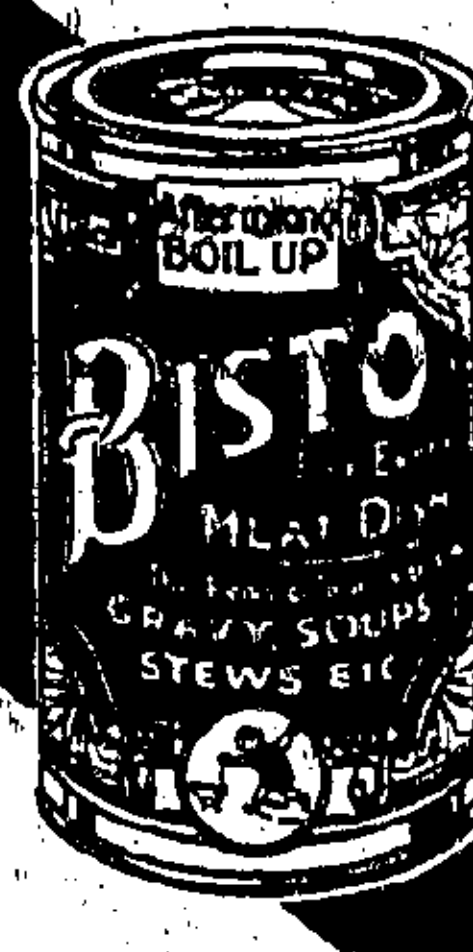


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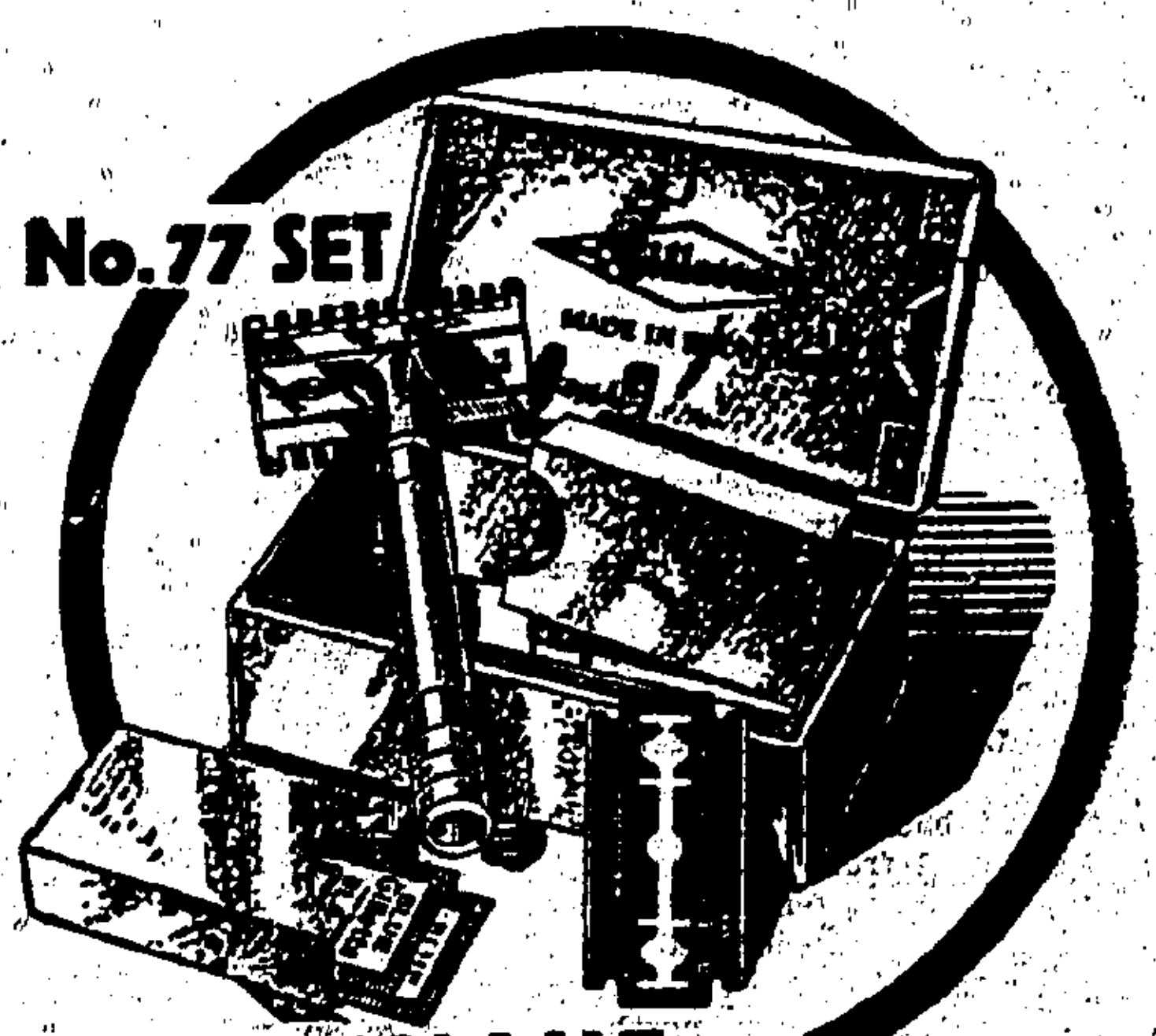
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CATHOLIC NEWS AND NOTES

EUCCHARISTIC CONGRESS AT BUDAPEST

On Wednesday next the Thirty Fourth International Eucharistic Congress will open at Budapest, the Hungarian capital. Everyone is now aware of the existence of these great congresses which take place every two years, and it will be recalled that the last one was held in Manila, the first ever to be held in the East.

A month ago, on account of the disturbed state of affairs in Central Europe, it was feared for a time that many visitors would have to cancel their arrangements for going to Budapest, but these fears were soon allayed, and everything points to the fact that the Congress will be quite as successful on those that have preceded it.

As usual the Congress will last from Wednesday until Sunday, and will close with a great procession and Benediction in the largest open space in the city. It has now become a common-place for close on a million persons to be present at this final ceremony, and it is believed that the attendance on the present occasion will reach the usual proportions.

The city authorities of Budapest have co-operated wonderfully with the organisers of the Congress, because they feel that the dignity of the city demands that they be worthy hosts to the great international gathering that will "throng the city."

The Pope's representative on this occasion will be the best known of the Cardinals, Cardinal Pacelli, the Papal Secretary of State. He will be the guest of the Regent, Admiral Horthy, during his stay in Hungary.

EMPIRE DAY

By a particularly happy coincidence, Empire Day this year falls on "one of the Rogation Days," days set apart four times in the year for special prayers, for the needs of the time. The custom of setting aside these days at fixed periods has been observed throughout the Church since before the days of King Alfred, though in some places the practice had existed as far back as the fifth century.

The particular prayer that is said on these days is the "Litany of the Saints," a long invocation of the Saints to beg their intercession for the needs of the people. This prayer is recited in all the churches, and therefore it will be said all over the British Empire this year on the morning of Empire Day, next Tuesday.

The chief religious celebration of any day, whatever its character, is necessarily one of prayer. On an occasion such as Empire Day the prayer is of thanksgiving for the favours and protection of the past, and intercession for the guidance and help of God in the future.

THE "ASCENSION"

Thursday next is Ascension Day. The Scripture tells us that Christ remained on earth for forty days after His Resurrection and then ascended into heaven, therefore the commemoration of the Ascension takes place on the fortieth day after Easter.

The feast has been observed since the days of the Apostles, and it is very naturally regarded as one of the greatest religious festivals of the year, for it represents the final glorification of Christ when His human body was transferred from earth to heaven.

Celebration of this festival does not imply, as has sometimes been erroneously stated, belief in a material heaven existing "in the sky."

Tradition has always pointed to Mount Olivet as the place where Christ was last seen on earth, and the "Chapel of the Ascension" has been built there. There was formerly a great basilica on the spot, but it was destroyed and rebuilt and finally destroyed by the Mohammedans.

A MEMORIAL IN YPRES

At eleven o'clock this morning a memorial to the late King of the Belgians, Albert I, the gift of the British Army and Royal Air Force, will be unveiled in Ypres Cathedral. The memorial is taking the form of a rose window and tablet.

It has cost £2,000 and the fund was subscribed by men of all ranks from all parts of the British Empire. The window is the largest of its kind in Belgium. It measures 250 square feet and has a diameter of 25 ft.

It depicts Christ in Glory, and the minor panels portray the crests of the donors.

One of these crests is that of the 5th Royal Inniskilling Dragoon Guards, of which regiment King Albert was Colonel, and special mention of the part played by this regiment in erecting the memorial is made in the tablet on the wall beneath.

The unveiling ceremony will be performed by the Bishop of Bruges in the presence of King Leopold, and an large number of British ex-soldiers, airmen and nurses will attend.

EMMANUEL MISSION CHURCH

The following are the Services etc., for the week at Emmanuel Mission Church, 218 Nathan Road, Kowloon:

Saturday, 8.30 p.m. Fellowship Meeting followed by the Lord's Supper.
Sunday, 11 a.m. Divine Service. Preacher Rev. C. Pennington; 3 p.m. Sunday School and Bible Classes; 6.30 p.m. Service in Mandarin; 8 p.m. Song Service; 8.30 p.m. Gospel Service. Preacher, Rev. C. Pennington.
Monday, 2.15 p.m. Meeting for Chinese amahs; 8 p.m. S.A.C.A. Meeting.
Tuesday—All day of Prayer.
Wednesday, 8 p.m. Praise and Prayer Meeting.
Thursday, 10.30 a.m. Ladies Bible Study Circle at No. 216 Nathan Road; 7.30 p.m. Service in Mandarin.

The Services are open to all. No Collection on Sunday Evenings.

ST. PETER'S SEAMEN'S CHURCH

The Sailors' Home and Seamen's Institute, Hong Kong

CHURCH SERVICES
Sunday next 5th Sunday after Easter.
8 a.m.—Holy Communion.
11 a.m.—Morning Prayer and Sermon.
Preacher: Rev. Cyril Brown.
8 p.m.—Short Evening Service.
N.B.—The Church is open to the general public.

CATHOLIC CATHEDRAL

The following are the forthcoming services at the Catholic Cathedral, Caine Road:

May 22—5th Sunday after Easter.
Morning Services:
1st Mass at 6 with sermon in Chinese.
2nd Mass at 8 with sermon in English—Solemn High Mass.
3rd Mass at 10 with sermon in English.
Evening Services:
At 2.30 Religious Instruction to Young People.
At 3.30 Catechetical Instruction for Adults.
At 4 Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament—Recitation of the Holy Rosary—Short sermon and Benediction.
May 23—Rogation Day—Today and the following two days are Rogation Days: at 7.10 Procession and Litany of the Saints followed by Holy Mass.
May 24—Our Lady Help of Christians—Empire Day: Special service for the School Children at 9 a.m.
May 26—Feast of The Ascension of our Lord—Holiday of Obligation—The Holy Masses as on Sundays.
May 27—St. Bede the Venerable Doctor of the Church—At 5.30 p.m. after the devotions in honour of Our Lady, the Novena in honour of the Holy Ghost begins.
May 28—St. Augustine, Bishop of Canterbury.
On week days Mass at 6 and 7.30. Confessions Morning and Evening.

ST. JOHN'S CATHEDRAL

NOTICES

May 22—5th Sunday After Easter. (Wesley Commemoration Service).
8 a.m. Holy Communion.
8 a.m. Holy Communion in Peak Church.
11 a.m. Matins.
Preacher: Rev. J. E. Sandbach. (Minister of Hong Kong Methodist Church).
8.30 p.m. Evensong.
Preacher: The Dean.
Children's Services
The Cathedral, 10 a.m. Kindergarten and Children's Service.
Chapel of the Resurrection, Happy Valley, 9.30 a.m. Kindergarten and Sunday School.
Stanley Sunday School Room 10 p.m. Kindergarten and Sunday School.

WEEKDAYS

Holy Communion is celebrated on:
Tuesday, (Rogation Day), and Saturday at 7.30 a.m.
Wednesday (Rogation Day), 7.30 a.m. in the Peak Church.
Thursday, Ascension Day, Choral Communion at 7 a.m. and 10 a.m. (plain).
Friday, at 7.45 a.m. (in Cantonese).
Daily a Special Service of Prayer 12-12.15 p.m. in English.
12.12-12.24 p.m. in Chinese.

OTHER NOTICES

May 23—6 p.m. Badminton Cathedral Hall.
May 24—5.15 p.m. Cathedral Church Council Meeting, Cathedral Hall.
May 24—9 a.m. Empire Day Service for School—Wesley Commemoration, 8.30 p.m. Tea at Sailors' and Soldiers Home, 7.30 p.m. Service at Chinese Methodist Church, Hennessy Road, Wanchai.
May 27—7 p.m. Cathedral Discussion Group, 1. Ava Mansions, May Road.
May 27—8 p.m. Badminton, Cathedral Hall.
Parade Service 9.15 a.m.
Sunday May 22
Voluntary Meditation—Squire: Hymn No. 160; Prayers: Venite (Setting—Goodson. Day 1); Lesson—St. Luke Ch. 18 vv 18-30; Jubilate Setting—Hayes; Creed: Prayers: Hymn No. 403; Address: Preacher—Rev. S. Hinchliffe, B. A. S.C.F.; Hymn No. 391; National Anthem; Benediction; Hymn No. 370; Voluntary: Dog's March from Merchant of Venice (Rosse).

ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH KOWLOON

(Church of England)
Third sermon in the course on the Old Testament

Ascension Day

The following are the forthcoming services etc., at St. Andrew's Church, Kowloon:
Sunday, May 22—5th Sunday after Easter. Rogation Sunday.
Holy Communion 8 a.m.
Matins 11 a.m. 3rd sermon in course on the Old Testament: "Prophecy." Preacher: Rev. H. D. Rosenthal.
Evensong 6.15 p.m. Preacher: The Bishop.
Primary Sunday School in the Hall 10 a.m.
Young People's Service in the Church 10 a.m.
Monday, 23—Bible Reading Fellowship and Fellowship of Youth 6 p.m.
Medical Relief Working Party 10 a.m.
Teachers' Preparation Class 7 p.m.
St. Andrew's Club Games Evening.
Tuesday, 24—Ascension Day. Holy Communion 7.30 a.m.
Matins and address 9.30 a.m.
Preacher: Rev. H. D. Rosenthal.
Brownie Pack 3.30 p.m.
Boys' Choir Practice 6.30 p.m.
Wednesday, 25—Medical Relief Working Party 10 a.m.
Wolf Cubs 5.30 p.m.
Rover Scouts 8.45 p.m.
Thursday, 26—Women's Fellowship 3 p.m.
Confirmation Class 6 p.m.
Boy Scouts 6 p.m.
St. Andrew's Club "Open Night" 9 p.m.
Friday, 27—Medical Relief Working Party 10 a.m.
Full Choir Practice 6.30 p.m.
Saturday, 28—St. Andrew's Club Launch Bathing Picnic leaves the Police Pier at 3.30 p.m. All friends of the Church and Club are invited to attend. Charge for non-guarantors \$1.

ENGLISH METHODIST CHURCH

HONG KONG (ENGLISH) CIRCUIT

Queen's Road East, Wanchai, Hong Kong (opposite the Royal Naval Hospital).
Sunday Services, May 22, 1938.
The Wesley Bi-Centenary.
Morning Parade Service at 9.30 a.m. at the English Methodist Church. The Morning Service will be conducted by Mr. S. N. Trevan. Preacher, Rev. J. E. Sandbach.
Hymn No. 7. Prayer, Lord's Prayer, Hymn No. 323, 1st Lesson, Hymn No. 368, 2nd Lesson, Prayer, Notices, Hymn No. 371, Sermon, Hymn No. 387, Benediction.
Evening Service at 7 p.m. at the English Methodist Church.
Special Wesley Service conducted by Ministers and Lay preachers.

NOTICES FOR THE WEEK

Following the Evening Service, a Social Hour will be held at 8.15. Refreshments are provided at minimum charges; all Servicemen and civilians are warmly welcomed.

On Monday, May 23 there will be a United Love Feast at the Chinese Methodist Church, Hennessy Road.

On Tuesday, May 24 a Public High Tea will be served in the Assembly Hall of the "S. & S. Home" at 6.30 p.m. Price 60 cents. At 7.30 p.m. a United Meeting of Commemoration and Consecration will be held in the Chinese Methodist Church, Hennessy Road.

There will be a meeting of the General Committee on Wednesday, May 25 at 5.30 p.m. in the Assembly Hall of the "S. & S. Home."

ST. JOSEPH'S CHURCH

May 22—5th Sunday after Easter.

First Mass and General communion at 8 a.m.

Service for the Army and Royal Navy at 9 a.m.

Third Mass at 10 a.m., followed by Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament.

This Service will be broadcast. Sermon by Rev. Father E. Bourke, S.J. on "The Nature and Value of Prayer."

Catechism for Children at 3 p.m.
May 26—The Ascension of Our Lord—(Holiday of Obligation).
Holy Mass and General Communion at 8 a.m.

On week days Holy Mass at 8 a.m.

Confessions are heard every day before and after Mass.

On Saturdays, the special time for Confessions is from 4.30 p.m. to 8 p.m.

CHRIST CHURCH, KOWLOON TONG

(Waterloo Road)

DEAN WILSON TO PREACH

The following are the Services and Notices for the forthcoming week:

May 22—5th Sunday after Easter.
7.15 a.m. Holy Communion.
9 a.m. Choral Eucharist.
Preacher: The Dean of St. John's Cathedral, The Very Rev. J. L. Wilson.
6.30 p.m. Evening Prayer.
Sunday School: Kindergarten at 3 Duke St. at 9 a.m. Juniors at the Church at 10.15 a.m.
Tuesday, May 24—Fete Committee meets at St. Andrew's Vicarage at 6 p.m.
Thursday, May 26—Ascension Day—Holy Communion at 7.15 a.m.
Saturday, May 28—Third of weekly launch picnics leaving Police Pier at 3.45 p.m. Non-guarantors, 80 cents. Children 40 cents.

ST. TERESA'S CHURCH

(PRINCE EDWARD ROAD)

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May 21—Saturday: at 3 p.m. Meeting of St. Teresa's C.Y.L.A.

May 22—5th Sunday after Easter:

6.30 a.m. Holy Mass with Sermon in Chinese.
7.30 a.m. Holy Mass, Sermon in English and Benediction.
9.30 a.m. Holy Mass with Sermon in English.

May 28—Thursday, The Ascension of Our Lord, Holiday of Obligation, Holy Mass at 6.30, 7.30 and 9.30 a.m.

On week-days, Holy Mass at 6.30 and 7.30 a.m. The exercises of the Month of May, every day, at 6 p.m.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE LESSON SERMON

Subject: Soul and Body

The subject of the Lesson Sermon in all Christian Science Churches tomorrow May 23 will be "Soul and Body."

The Golden Text will be "Why art thou cast down, O my soul? and why art thou disquieted within me? hope thou in God: for I shall yet praise him who is the health of my countenance and my God." (Ps. 42:11)

Among others the following citations will be read from the Bible: "Rejoice the soul of thy servant: for unto thee, O Lord, do I lift up my soul. What man is he that feareth the Lord? him shall be teach in the way that he shall choose. His soul shall dwell at ease; and his seed shall inherit the earth. As for me, I will behold thy face in righteousness: I shall be satisfied when I awake with thy likeness." (Ps. 86, 25 and 17).

The following citations will also be read from the Christian Science Textbook "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "Soul and Spirit being one, God and Soul are one and this one ever included in a limited mind and a limited body. The proper use of the word soul can always be gained by substituting the word God, where the definite meaning is required. In other cases use the word sense and you will have the scientific signification. Soul or Spirit is God, unchangeable and eternal; and man coexists with and reflects Soul. God, for man is God's image." (Ps. 335, 482 and 120).

ANNOUNCEMENTS

First Church of Christ Scientist, Hong Kong, a Branch of The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ Scientist in Boston, Mass. MacDonnell Road close to Tram Station. Sunday Service 11.15 a.m. Testimony Meeting, Wednesday 8 p.m. A Reading Room is located at Bank of East Asia Building, 10 Des Voeux Road Central and is open every Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday from 10.30 a.m. to 1 p.m., 2 to 4 p.m. and 5 to 7 p.m. Wednesdays: 10.30 a.m. to 1 p.m. and 2 to 4 p.m. Saturdays: 10.30 a.m. to 12.30 p.m. All authorized Christian Science Literature is available at the Reading Room. The public is invited to attend the services and to visit the Reading Room.

ROSARY CHURCH

20, CHATHAM ROAD, KOWLOON

The following are the forthcoming Services, etc., at the Rosary Church, 20 Chatham Road—Kowloon

Sunday, May 22—5th Sunday after Easter.
At 6.30 Mass with sermon in Chinese.
At 7.30 Mass with sermon in English.
At 8.30 Mass with sermon in Portuguese.

At 9.30 Mass with sermon in English, followed by the Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament.

At 2 p.m. Catechetical Instruction in Chinese.

At 2.30 p.m. Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament.

Tuesday, May 24—Feast of Our Lady "Help of Christians."

Wednesday, May 25—Meeting of the C.Y.M.S. at 6.30 p.m.

Thursday, May 26—The Ascension of Our Lord. (Holiday of Obligation). Masses at 6.30, 7.30 (Choral Mass), 8.30 and 9.30.

Friday, May 27—The Novena of Pentecost starts today (at 6 p.m.).

On Week-days—Mass at 6.30 and 7.30—Exercises of the Month of May at 8 p.m.

On Sunday, at the St. Paul's Chapel (185 Portland Street, Tsimshatsi), Mass with sermon in Chinese at 5.45.

UNION CHURCH NOTICES

Morning Service 10.30 a.m. Evening Service 6 p.m.

Preacher at both services, Rev. K. Mackenzie Dow.

A Jumble Sale will be held in the Church Hall on Friday, May 27th. Contributions for this sale can be left at the Church Hall any time before that date.

The Helena May Christian Fellowship meets in the Institute on Friday morning at 10.30 a.m.

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Usually the disease starts between the toes. Little watery blisters form, and the skin cracks and peels. After a while, the itching becomes intense, and you feel as though you would like to scratch off all the skin.

BEWARE OF IT SPREADING

Often the disease travels all over the bottom of the feet. The soles of your feet become red and swollen. The skin also cracks and peels, and the itching becomes worse and worse.

Get rid of this disease as quickly as possible, because it is very contagious and it may go to your hands or even to the under arm or crotch of the legs.

Most people who have Athlete's Foot have tried all kinds of remedies to cure it without success. Ordinary germicides, antiseptics, salve or ointments seldom do any good.

HERE'S HOW TO TREAT IT

The germ that causes the disease is known as *Tinea Trichophyton*. It buries itself deep in the tissues of the skin and is very hard to kill. A test made shows it takes 18 minutes of boiling to kill the germ; so you can see why ordinary remedies are unsuccessful.

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NEWS ABOUT THE SERVICES

ROYAL NAVY

CRUISE OF THE HOME FLEET

Ships of the Home Fleet on May 10 began their first cruise under the command of Admiral Sir Charles Forbes. The majority will assemble at Portland, but the Ramilles and Courageous, with the destroyers Wren and Stronghold, are going to Invergordon, and the cruiser Cornwall to Lamlash. The Rodney will not leave Devonport for Portland until May 20. The Furious and 4th Destroyer Flotilla will leave their home ports on the completion of refits. The Royal Sovereign left Sheerness on May 17 for Torbay, and not, as previously stated, for Invergordon.

The Iron Duke, gunnery firer and boys' training ship, will return to Portsmouth from Torbay on May 20. The submarine minelayer Narwhal left Portsmouth on May 10 for Dartmouth, returning on June 10 and joining the Home Fleet at Portland on June 17.

The royal yacht Victoria and Albert is to leave Portsmouth on May 20 for a short cruise to Torbay and Yarmouth, returning on May 20.

AFRICA STATION

Commander John Harding has been appointed to the Arphion, flagship on the Africa Station, for duty as intelligence staff officer.

The cruisers Amphion and Neptune will leave Simonstown on May 24 and will cruise independently for a month, visiting certain foreign ports. They are to be at Durban from June 25 to July 11 and to return to Simonstown on July 14. The Amphion will be making her first cruise as flagship of Rear-Admiral G. H. D'O. Lyon, C.B., who assumed command of the Africa Station in March.

The escort vessel Rochester, Commander F. W. Growse, will make a cruise from Simonstown from May 12 to June 1 for the training of members of the South African Division, R.N. Volunteer Reserve.

NAVAL APPOINTMENTS

The following appointments are made by the Admiralty:—
Capt. G. E. Creasy, M.V.O., to Grenville, in command, and as Capt. (D), First Flotilla (June 1);

THE ARMY

ESTABLISHMENTS OF N.C.O.s

It has been recognized that, in certain arms of the Service the unit establishment of N.C.O.s does not meet requirements in all circumstances. Paid lance appointments are therefore authorized by the War Office to meet such a situation.

Soldiers required to carry out the duties of N.C.O.s can thus be given higher rank with pay while so serving. The promotion prospects of lance-corporals are sometimes prejudiced by their being required to revert to the rank of private on being posted to a new unit.

This practice is to be discontinued, and a lance-corporal will retain his rank on being posted. Whether he retains his rank after fair trial in the new unit remains at the discretion of the officer commanding.

POOL OF EDUCATION OFFICERS

The system of accounting for officers of the Army Education Corps on long leave from India is to be arranged by the maintenance of a "pool."

Officers on long leave will be retained on the strength of their appointments till the expiry of their privilege leave only; after that they will be struck off the local strength and transferred to the pool, which will be maintained by the Chief of the General Staff.

J. G. L. Dundas, to President for service inside Admiralty (May 31); N. V. Grace, to President (May 9); Engr. Cdr. R. S. Sloman, to Delhi (May 18); P. L. Wilson, to Belfast (May 31).

Cdr. (E)—H. S. Greenlaw, to Coventry (May 23).
Surgn.—G. S. Rutherford, L. R. C. P. and S., to Tamar for Hong Kong Dockyard (May 10); E. Hefernan, M.B., to Pembroke for R.N.B. (May 9); G. E. Heath, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., to President (May 18); R. C. Foster, M.B., to President for crse. (July 6), and to Furious (July 27).

Payr. Cdrs.—A. E. Beall, to Newcastle (May 13); M. V. Duke, to Maldstone (June 1).

ROYAL AIR FORCE

MORE OBSERVERS NEEDED

Further airmen are required for training as air observers. Recommendations are to be made immediately to the Officer-in-Charge of Records, and a further list is to be forwarded by September 1. Subsequently these recommendations will be made quarterly instead of half-yearly as hitherto.

In January, 1938, the field of selection was increased by reducing from six to four years the minimum qualifying period of service before recommendation. It is now to be further increased by reducing the period to three years, and by including airmen of the trades of fitter (aero-engine) and metal fitter. Men of these trades who become air observers will not be debarrd thereby from undergoing the course for conversion to fitter, grade 1.

AIR COMMODORE IN THE EQUIPMENT BRANCH

For the first time an officer has been promoted to the rank of air commodore in the Equipment Branch, or the Stores Branch, as it was known till 1933. Hitherto the highest rank in the branch has been that of group captain.

The officer concerned is Air Commodore George Laing, C.B.E., who has been Deputy Director of Equipment (Aircraft) since 1931.

R.A.F. APPOINTMENTS

The following appointments in the Royal Air Force are notified:
General Duties Branch
Air Vice-Marshal—R. R. Nicholl, C.B.E., to Headquarters, R.A.F., Middle East, Cairo, Egypt, on appointment as Air Officer Commanding (March 27).

Instr. Lt.-Cdr.—G. M. Clark, to Barham (June 7).

Payr. Lt.-Cdr.—A. J. V. Chubb, to Jason (June 7).

Payr. Lts.—B. T. Evans, to Argus (May 20); R. Dudley-Smith, to Resolution (June 15).

Schoolmaster (CWO)—C. W. Ellard, to Pembroke for M.T.E. (May 21).

Cd. SO.—J. S. Devitt, to Resolution (June 8).

RETIREMENT
Cd. Gunner (T)—J. J. Penman, placed on the Retd. List (May 12).

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phatically denied in a statement
made by the Negus yesterday.
In this declaration the Negus
points out that he has twice in
Geneva already expressed his views
on the Abyssinian question and
that he had nothing to add to the
declarations made there.—(Trans-
ocean).

SOUTH AFRICAN ELECTIONS

Capetown, May 20.
The results of the South African
Union Parliamentary elections
made known up till now show that
the United Party, that is the pre-
sent Government, has secured a
clear majority over all the other
Parties taken together. Having
won 77 seats while all the remain-
ing four Parties have so far only
scored 14 seats altogether.
Among the re-elected is General
Smuts, who in his constituency in
Transvaal, polled 75 per cent of the
total number of votes.—(Trans-
ocean).

"DISTINGUISHED GATHERING"



Final Show At China Fleet Club Theatre Tonight



Above, on the left, E. G. Smith-Wright, as Elliot Richard Vines, and on the right, Ruth Shakespeare, as Judith Montague, who have leading roles in the James Farish play "Distinguished Gathering" which the Hong Kong Amateur Dramatic Club has been presenting since Wednesday night. The final performance will be given tonight at 9.15. The play is produced by Charles Burton and is in three acts. (Photos by D'Asis Studio).

TODAY AT THE CINEMA

Hong Kong

KING'S:
"The Bad Man of Brimstone"

QUEEN'S:
"Hollywood Hotel"

ORIENTAL:
"The Go Getter"

Kowloon

ALHAMBRA:
"Hollywood Hotel"

STAR:
"Romeo and Juliet"

MAJESTIC:
"Nine Days A Queen"

Coming

KING'S:
"Lost Horizon"

QUEEN'S:
"Invisible Menace"

ORIENTAL:
"The Firefly"
"The Prince and The Pauper"

HOLLYWOOD HOTEL

"Hollywood Hotel," in the form
of a musical comedy, has its
showing at the Queen's and
Alhambra Theatres today, as a
presentation from Warner Bros. It
is not merely an episode entertain-
ment, like its namesake of the
other waves, but a fully-plotted
dramatic show with a star-studded
cast.

Dick Powell has the most im-
portant part—that of a young
crooner who comes to Hollywood
with promises of a movie job, and
gets into all sorts of difficulties be-
fore he wins success.
The Lane sisters, Lola and
Rosemary, have the leading femi-
line roles, the former as a tempera-
mental movie star who refuses to
appear at a premiere, and the
latter as a totally obscure hotel
worker who takes Lola's place on
the big night.
Louella Parsons, famed dramatic
critic and originator of the "Holly-
wood Hotel" air show, plays her-
self in the picture.

SIR FREDERICK WHYTE

To Be Chairman Of Films' Council

London, May 19.
It is announced that Sir Freder-
ick Whyte, who was President of
the Indian Legislative Assembly
from 1920 to 1925, and Political
Advisor to the National Govern-
ment of China from 1925 to 1932,
will be Chairman of the Films'
Council to be appointed under the
new Cinematograph Films' Act.
(British Wireless).

FLEET AIR ARM STRENGTH.

London, May 19.
According to an answer to the
First Lord of the Admiralty in the
Commons, the first line strength
of the Fleet Air Arm is 214 air-
craft.—(British Wireless).

WHO TOLD YOU THAT?

The shortest perceptible unit
of time is that between the
traffic light's change and the
driver behind you.

THE BAD MAN OF BRIMSTONE

Epic saga of the West and the
story of how law and order sup-
planted the reign of the six-gun.
"The Bad Man of Brimstone,"
starring Wallace Beery, is showing
at the King's Theatre.

Filmed against scenes of rugged
grandeur in the Zion National
Forest of Utah, "The Bad Man of
Brimstone" is the story of a
gangster of the '80's whose reign is
interrupted when he discovers that
a stranger who is attempting to
clean-up Brimstone is his own son.

The part of the son is taken by
Dennis O'Keefe, Metro-Goldwyn-
Mayer's newest discovery. O'Keefe
falls in love with the daughter of
Brimstone's crooked judge, Vir-
ginia Bruce.

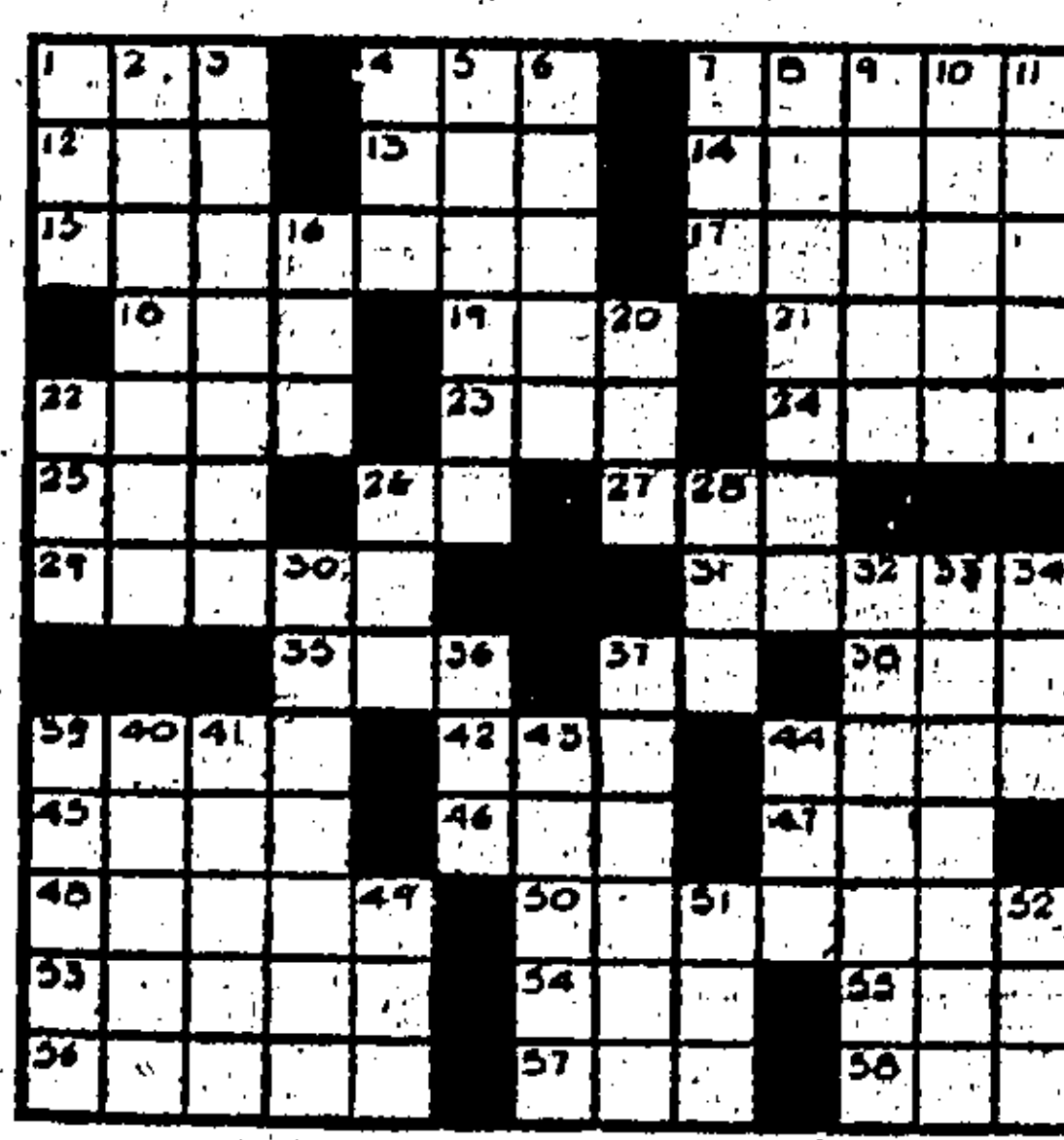
SOLUTION NO. 6

LAMBDA'S SENT
AMORINO ALONE
POTOMAC LADLE
PROWSE HEN BE
EON'S ITEM BEL
TS MOTOR FAI
SOWED THARES
TEN HIREDIME
BATS BINEY MAT
AT BUTT GRUNT
HOVER PERUSAL
MIEN AS ININE
TART DETECTS

"TEST YOUR KNOWLEDGE" CROSSWORD—No. 7

ACROSS

1 Dance step
4 Lad
7 Accumulate
12 Part of "to be"
13 Vexation
14 Refuse
15 Covered
17 Penetrate
18 Cluster of fibres occurring in wool staple
19 Total
21 Incapable of hearing
22 Cornmeal bread
23 Female of the deer
24 Weapons of offense
25 Employ
26 Like
27 Consume
29 Names
31 Divisions of Attica
35 Likely
37 International language
38 Beverage
39 Bodies of water
42 Arabian garment
44 Algerian seaport
45 Reposes
46 Resinous
47 Existed
48 Vehemently
50 Governors
53 Work for
54 Ostrich-like bird



55 Bind
58 Doctrine
57 Haunt
59 Unit

DOWN

1 Mocassin-like shoe
2 Sandy
3 More calm
4 Portion
5 Mountain nymphs
6 Former name for Tokyo
7 Fear
8 Order
9 Flower
10 Water in form of vapor
16 Monkey
20 River in Scotland
22 Place
28 Venomous serpent

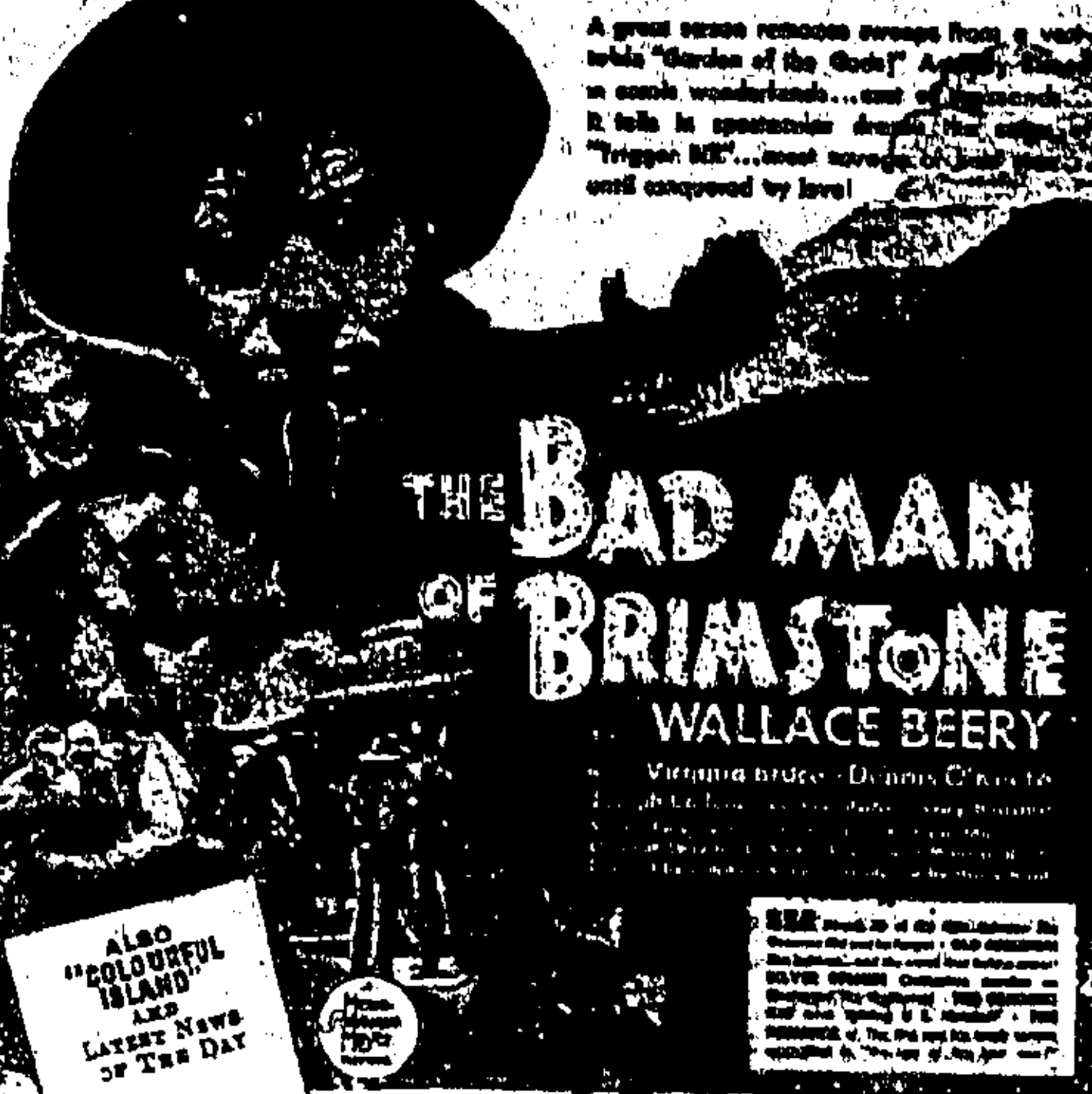
28 Fuse
30 Huge
32 Genus of American herbs
33 Springy
34 Japanese coin
36 Hindu cymbals
37 Centripetal flower-cluster
39 Sudden wind
40 Feminine name
41 Long for
43 Disclosed
44 Be indebted to
49 Clear profit
51 Weapon
52 Perceive

SOLUTION ON MONDAY.

KING'S

SHOWING TODAY AT 2:30, 5:15, 7:15 AND 9:30 P.M.

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COLUMBIA **"LOST HORIZON"**

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A SINGING, SWINGING MUSICAL COMEDY!
RUBY KEELER, LEE DIXON, LOUISE FAZENDA
in **"READY, WILLING AND ABLE"**
A WARNER BROS. HIT!

HOME COLLIERY DISASTER

Recorder Appointed Chairman Of Inquiry

London, May 19.
The Recorder of Leicester, Mr. P. E. Sardiands, who became King's Counsel in 1935, has been appointed Commissioner to conduct an inquiry into the causes of the explosion at the Markham colliery on May 10, in which 79 men lost their lives.
The Chief Inspector of Mines will act as assessor to the Commission. This appointment recalls the question addressed to the Secretary for Mines when he had announced the disaster to the House of Commons on the day of the explosion.
The miners' Member asked if they were to give the fullest public confidence that a most searching investigation would be made into the causes of the accident an independent Chairman would be appointed to conduct the inquiry.
In informing the Commons of his decision today, Captain H.F.C. Crookshank added that the appointment did not imply the intention to discontinue the practice by which, in the normal way, such inquiries are conducted by the Chief Inspector.—(British Wireless).

Colony Trade Continues To Maintain Increase

Exports Up By More Than One Million Pounds

Imports of merchandise in April totalled \$59.3 millions (£3.6 millions) as compared with \$54.8 millions (£3.4 millions) in April, 1937, and exports \$51.4 millions (£3.2 millions) as compared with \$34.1 millions (£2.1 millions) according to a report issued by the Imports and Exports Department (Statistical Branch) yesterday.

The report states that the combined values of imports and exports of merchandise (excluding treasure) as declared during the month of April, 1938 totalled \$110.7 millions (£6.8 millions) as compared with \$89.0 millions (£5.5 millions) in April, 1937.

In terms of local currency the total visible trade of the Colony (excluding treasure) increased by 24.4 per cent. in April, 1938 as compared with April, 1937, and by 23.6 per cent in terms of sterling.

Imports of merchandise in April, 1938 increased by 8.2 per cent. in terms of local currency, and by 5.9 per cent. in terms of sterling. Exports of merchandise in April, 1938 increased by 50.7 per cent in terms of local currency, and by 52.4 per cent in terms of sterling.

During the first four months of 1938 imports of merchandise totalled \$221.4 millions (£13.7 millions) as compared with \$186.5 millions (£11.5 millions) in the corresponding period of 1937; and exports \$186.8 millions (£11.5 millions) as compared with \$139.8 millions (£8.7 millions).

Imports of merchandise increased by 18.7 per cent in terms of local currency, and by 19.1 per cent in terms of sterling; exports increased by 33.6 per cent in terms of local currency, and by 32.2 per cent in terms of sterling.

The following table shows comparative imports and exports of merchandise during each of the first four months of 1938 as compared with the corresponding months of 1937 and 1936, in \$'s and £'s sterling (in millions):—

		IMPORTS				EXPORTS	
		1936	1937	1938		1936	1937
January		\$33.7	\$39.5	\$37.7		\$23.6	\$34.1
February		\$30.3	\$38.5	\$30.3		\$15.1	\$21.4
March		\$34.1	\$53.4	\$59.0		\$21.6	\$30.9
April		\$58.2	\$54.8	\$59.3		\$27.6	\$34.1
		\$2.5	\$4.3	\$3.6		\$1.8	\$2.1

GRAPHIC ART EXHIBITION

Proceeds For Medical Aid To China

His Excellency the Governor and Lady Northcote attended the exhibition of modern Anglo-American Graphic Art and selections from the First International Exhibit of Modern Chinese Graphic Art held at the Cathedral Hall yesterday.

The exhibition was opened by Dr. Tsai Yuen-pel, President of Academia Sinica and Mr. D.J. Sloss, Vice Chancellor of the University of Hong Kong.

Mr. Sloss addressed the gathering and thanked His Excellency and Lady Northcote for their attendance. He also extended a welcome to Dr. Tsai and said they were indeed fortunate that a busy man like Dr. Tsai should have found the time to come here for the exhibition.

Dr. Tsai spoke in Chinese, his speech being interpreted by Mr. Huang.

The exhibition will be open today and Monday from 10 a.m. to 7 p.m. and will be continued from Tuesday, May 24 to Tuesday, May 30, in the library of the Chinese Chamber of Commerce, No. 65 Connaught Road.

Proceeds will be devoted to medical aid to China through the Hong Kong International Medical Relief Society.

R.A.M.C. DANCE

The R.A.M.C. Association will hold a dance at the Hotel Cecil tonight, starting at 8.30.

Y. M. C. A.

European Y.M.C.A. Discussion Group will be held in the West Lounge on Sunday at 9 p.m. Speaker—The Rev. G. W. H. H. Speaker, D.D. Subject—"Christian Racial Relationships in the Far East."

SOLICITOR AS PLAINTIFF

Claim Against Tenant In Kowloon Tong

Mr. A. S. K. Lau, solicitor, was the plaintiff in a claim for possession case which was among those called in the weekly Friday list before the Paine Judge, Mr. Justice R. E. Lindsell, in Summary Court yesterday. Mr. P. H. Sin appeared for him.

Defendant was A. E. Ahlong, who was represented by Mr. H. N. Chau.

The claim was in respect of No. 4 Lincoln Road, Kowloon Tong the monthly rental for which was \$120. Defendant had been given notice on March 4 to leave, this notice expiring on April 30. The hearing was adjourned one week.

ANOTHER CASE

Adjournment to Monday was ordered in the case of Mrs. Chan Chi-pun, tenant of No. 21 Ngai Chin Wal Road, first floor, against whom Mr. Wong Kan-tak, landlord, claimed for recovery of possession of premises, \$45 as arrears of rent and mesne profits. Mr. P. H. Sin appeared for the plaintiff.

The statement of claim alleged that defendant was three months in arrears in rent, but this she denied and said she had receipts to prove it.

THREE WEEKS' NOTICE

Lo Shu-fan, tenant of No. 1 Hill Road, was given three weeks in which to leave the place.

Mr. C. Y. Kwan, who appeared for the plaintiff, Mr. S. M. Chum, said there was no question here of rent being in arrears. In fact, defendant had offered an increase to \$70 from \$53, but his client could not accept the offer because the only reason he had bought the house in March last was for the purpose of his business.

An order for mesne profits was also made. Defendant then said he had spent between \$500 and \$800 on the house.

His Lordship: That is your fault. You should be more careful when you are only a monthly tenant.

TRAFFIC CASES IN KOWLOON

For leaving her car on the outside corner of Waterloo Road, and Nathan Road, and thereby making it very difficult for buses to pass Mrs. V. R. Anderson, was fined \$5 by Mr. Macfadyen, at the Kowloon Court yesterday.

Summoned with allowing a person to drive his car without an appropriate driver's licence, and for driving without an appropriate licence, J. M. Figueiredo, and A. M. Xavier, respectively, were cautioned.

Mr. H. A. de Barros Botelho pleaded guilty for both defendants.

NO LIGHTS ON

Pleading guilty by letter, H. B. Neve was fined \$5 for driving his car without any front lights.

For a similar offence, M. Dos Remedios, was also fined \$5.

ELECTRIC STORM AT NIGHT

Yesterday's Early Morning Rain

The intensity of the violent downpour of rain that began shortly after midnight on Thursday and lasted till dawn yesterday which, together with lightning, formed one of the most spectacular electric storms Hong Kong has seen for some time, is well illustrated by figures supplied by the Royal Observatory, which show that, between 2 a.m. and 6 a.m., 4.355 inches of rain fell.

The course of the storm might be traced thus: At 1 a.m. a drizzle set in and by 2 a.m. 0.8 inch of rain had fallen. Then the cloud-burst set in earnest and in the next four hours 3.55 inches were registered.

LIGHTNING STORM

Lightning flashes began spasmodically about 2 a.m., but between 3 and 5.30 they were almost continuous and of a terrific intensity, accompanying thunder rendering sleep difficult.

A direct result of this storm was a coolness in temperature of several degrees yesterday.

The forecast for today predicts similar conditions, with more occasional rain.

S.P.C. DONATIONS

Mr. Cheung Shek Chuen, Mr. Max Fung Chow and Mr. Uy Teng Yiu have each contributed \$100 to the Society for the Protection of Children, thereby becoming life members.

VOLUNTEER ORDERS

(Orders by Lt.-Col. R. C. B. Anderson, M.C. Commandant, Hong Kong Volunteer D.C.)

HOLIDAY
Headquarters will be closed on Empire Day, Tuesday, May 24. **KING'S BIRTHDAY PARADE (PRACTICE)**

Monday, May 23, 5.30 p.m. H.Q. Those detailed by O's. C. Units will attend.

LECTURE ON MESSAGE WRITING, ETC.

Thursday, May 26, 5.30 p.m. H.Q. Those selected by O's. C. Units will attend. The third lecture on Map Reading will be given on Tuesday, May 31.

PARADES

1st Battery
Left and Signal Sections: Friday, May 27, 5.45 p.m. H.Q.

Engineer Company
Monday, May 23, 5.30 p.m. H.Q. Recruits—Squad Drill.

Corps Signals
There will be no parade on Tuesday, May 24.

Machine Gun Troop
There will be no parade on Tuesday, May 24.

Armoured Car Section
There will be no parade on Tuesday, May 24.

Thursday, May 26, 5.30 p.m. H.Q. (i) N.C.O.'s selected will attend the lecture given by the Adjutant as mentioned in para. 3 above. (ii) Remainder. L.G. Instruction.

Motor Machine Gun Platoon
Friday, May 27, 5.30 p.m. H.Q. Reconnaissance of Castle Peak Road to Lok Ma Chau. A haversack ration will be carried. Return approx. 10.30 p.m.

No. 4 M.G. Company
Wednesday, May 25 H.Q.:

Nos. 1 and 2 Platoons, 5.30 p.m. Musketry, No. 3 Platoon, Nos. 11 and 12 Sections, 5.15 p.m. Proceed to Kennedy Road for firing. Nos. 9, 10 and 13 Sections, 5.30 p.m. Revision.

Friday, May 27, 5.30 p.m. H.Q.:

Nos. 1 and 2 Platoons: Voluntary Junior N.C.O.'s class, No. 3 Platoon. Tests of Stripping and assembling. Remainder. E.G.D.

Portuguese Companies
Monday, May 23, 5.30 p.m. H.Q. No. 5 M.G. Company E.G.D.

There will be no parade on Tuesday, May 24.

Machine Gun Signals
Monday, May 23 Subsections "A" and "B" H.Q. 5.20 p.m. Revolver practice at Kennedy Road Range (Practices 1 and 2). Webbing belts must be worn. Subsection "D." H.Q. 5.30 p.m. Musketry for Recruits. Remainder: Miniature Range.

Pay Section
Friday, May 27, 5.30 p.m. H.Q. RANGEMAKERS' EXAMINATION—

1ST BATTERY
The following qualified at an examination in Range-taking held on 17.5.38.

Qualified:—

Gnr. R. Tam 78

Gnr. P. Wu 82

Gnr. Z. E. H. Ting 82

Re-qualified:—

Edr. H. S. Jones 83

Lt. Bdr. W. J. Roberts 92

Edr. C. Dragon 83

TRANSFERS
Pte. T. D. Faton, No. 2 M.G. Coy., Unit Reserve, 20.5.38.

Pte. H. D. Bidwell, A.C. Section, Unit Reserve, 20.5.38.

(Continued on Back Page)

FUNERAL OF MR. MICHAEL LENZ

The funeral of Mr. Michael George Lenz, who passed away at the Queen Mary Hospital on Thursday night, took place at the Catholic Cemetery, Happy Valley, last evening when a large number of friends gathered to pay their last respects.

The funeral service was conducted by the Rev. Fr. Galbotti and amongst those present were Messrs. S. T. Lin, B. H. Choa, P. Poon, M. A. de Souza, N. E. Allave, C. Dragon, A. P. Barros, E. V. Reed, S. Reed, R. M. Omar, D. Lo, G. Brown, T. Castilho, B. Cruz, J. A. Ribeiro, G. Souza, R. Dormer, the Rev. Bro. Alphonsus and the Rev. Bro. Cashin.

A large number of wreaths were sent in addition to the family floral tributes including one from the Hong Kong Boy Scouts Association.

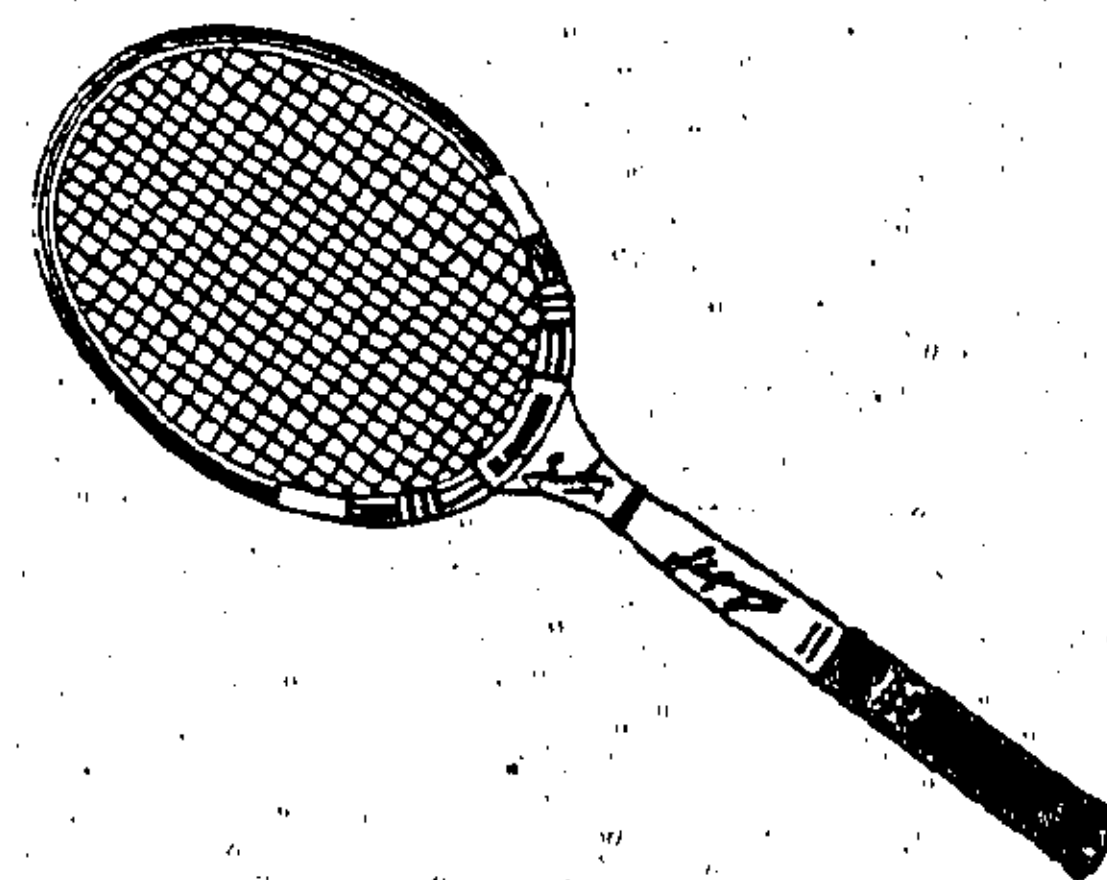
KING'S BIRTHDAY PARADE

The military authorities wish to again emphasise the fact that no reservations are being allowed for the public enclosure to view the King's Birthday Parade at Happy Valley and it is therefore useless to apply for tickets.

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No COVER CHARGE.

CAR SUMMONS

Charged with driving without due care and caution along South Bay Road, near Island Road on May 30, Mr. J. Montalto appeared before Mr. Butters at the Central Court yesterday.

The complainant was Warder J. Joyce of Stanley Prison.

The defendant pleaded not guilty and the hearing was adjourned to June 3 at 2.30 p.m.

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65, Connaught Road Central

May 24th to 30th

from 10 a.m. to 7 p.m.

American Artists Congress

British Artists International

Association

Chinese Artists Association

FOR MEDICAL AID

TO CHINA.

ENGAGEMENT

The engagement is announced of A.P.S. Arthur George Groves, of the Hong Kong Police, Yau-mat, to Kathleen, only daughter of Capt. H. Olsen, of Bangkok. (Bangkok and Shanghai papers please copy).

BIRTH

BROWN.—On May 15, 1938, at the Country Hospital, Shanghai, to Mr. and Mrs. Irving S. Brown, a son, Robert-Cushman.

DEATH

MINSKY.—On May 12, 1938, at the Shanghai General Hospital, Mrs. Rose Minsky, aged 53 years, the dearly-beloved wife of Mr. Michael Minsky, of Tsingtao, and mother of Mrs. Elizabeth Jeppesen, of Shanghai.

ROYAL ASIATIC SOCIETY'S GOLD MEDAL

The presentation of the Royal Asiatic Society's Gold Medal to Professor R. A. Nicholson, Litt.D., F.B.A., took place at the annual general meeting of the society recently.

The Council of the Royal Asiatic Society has conferred honorary membership on Professor Arthur Christensen, Professor of Iranian Philology at the University of Copenhagen, and on Professor Jean Przyluski, Professor of Indo-Chinese History and Philology at the College de France, in recognition of their eminent services to Iranian Sanskrit studies respectively.

WOUNDING CHARGE

Wong Yat-jam, 35, appeared before Mr. H. R. Butters at the Central Court yesterday, charged with inflicting grievous body injuries on Siu Fong-lam.

Detective Sub-Inspector Darkin applied for a week's remand, as the injured man was still in hospital.

What Our Readers Say

CHINESE NOT VINDICTIVE

[To the Editor, "The Hong Kong Daily Press"]

Sir:—I have read with the keenest interest of the raid made on Japan by the Chinese Air Force. As far back as August last, I predicted that, should the Japanese airmen not desist from their barbaric methods of bombing defenceless Chinese cities and causing death and injury to thousands of innocent non-combatants, China would be compelled to retaliate. Japanese and many of my own countrymen scoffed at this and stated that China had no planes or fliers capable of making a flight to Japan and back. My answer was "Wait and see."

The present visit by our planes to the Land of the Rising (Setting?) Sun proves that our planes can make the flight and that we have in our air force a bunch of dare-devil fliers willing to risk their lives for their country, to prove that such flights could be made.

DEFENDED CITY

Osaka is a defended city, the industrial, economical and financial heart of Japan and was, therefore, open to a bombing attack by the Chinese planes. But did the Chinese bomb the place? No. Instead, they simply dropped leaflets containing propaganda, telling the Japanese people the real situation, of which they have been kept in utter ignorance.

As our planes were actually over a defended enemy position, we would easily have bombed the place but we did not wish to resort to the same inhuman and barbaric tactics as those used by the Japanese. We did not wish to lose world sympathy and support by horrifying our friends.

We resorted to a peaceful step which cannot but win the admiration of the entire universe. We wanted to teach the Japanese that we are human beings and that we can make flights to Japan and can, if necessary, bomb the enemy. Nevertheless, we consider it even more important that we should cause no harm to those innocent people who are not responsible for the present unwarranted invasion of China.

WALTER HANMING CHEN

NEW BATHING CLUB

The formal opening of the Club-house of the Guru Nanak Bathing Club, Kennedy Town, will be performed by the President, Mr. Badan Singh, today at 5 p.m.

flats or premises at rock-bottom figures just in order to meet the taxes, etc., without having to dig further into their capital.

Those were the days when Hong Kong was in the depths of an economic depression, which swept the world with such devastating effects, but it is fairly safe to say that no landlord can come forward and truthfully state that even in those very bad times the demands for reductions in rent were any where near the increases (proportionately speaking) that are now being demanded of some of these same tenants.

Even in New Kowloon and the New Territories, where flats and houses are mostly of the Chinese type and the tenants mostly working people or very moderate means, rents are being raised. Yet despite it all the Government is satisfied merely to hold a watching brief, as it were!

WE HAVE been authoritatively informed that an influential body has petitioned the Government to take the necessary action to protect the tenants in general. Let it not be taken for granted, however, that every landlord in the Colony is taking unfair advantage of the situation to put up the rents. There are many who have either not increased their rents at all or have done so in such a slight manner as not to cause hardship to the tenants concerned.

These landlords may be sure that if a full inquiry was held into the situation their tenants would be only too glad to come forward and offer evidence on their behalf in order that their interests might be protected.

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TRAGIC DEATH OF DOCKYARD POLICE OFFICER

WILL DISCLOSED IN ENVELOPE

False Evidence Allegation

A verdict of suicide while of an sound mind was returned by the jury comprised of Messrs. J. W. Platt (foreman), A. A. S. Remedios and Lui Chick-sang, at the Central Police Court yesterday when an inquiry was held into the circumstances surrounding the death of Ernest Harold Ingham, of the Royal Naval Dockyard Police, who was found dead with a gunshot wound in his head on April 13, last.

Medical evidence was given by Dr. R. S. Begbie, after which Walter Thomas Bailey, of the Naval Dockyard Police, said that he was on the second night shift, same time as the deceased, on the night in question. Deceased was the sergeant in charge at the time. He last saw deceased about 5.45 a.m. and about the same time he heard two cracking noises but paid no attention, thinking they came from the road.

He went on with his duty and he came across deceased coming out of the search room and going into his own room. Witness said he thought something was amiss and followed deceased. He then saw the deceased point a revolver at his own head. Witness shouted to him to stop but was too late, deceased firing two shots before falling down.

THREE LETTERS

Detective Inspector W. N. Darkin was the next witness. He said that on receipt of a report he proceeded to the Naval Yard and saw deceased's body, in a sitting position. He went through deceased's pockets and in one of them found an envelope on which was written "Will—E. H. Ingham."

Another envelope was addressed to the Commander's Secretary, H.M. Dockyard, while a third letter was not addressed.

After Commander E. V. Rees, Commander of H.M. Dockyard, had given evidence in respect of a charge which was preferred against the deceased in the Dockyard, the jury returned the verdict mentioned above.

Commander Rees said he fined the deceased \$10 and asked him to leave the service. Deceased in his will, said that the four witnesses against him in the Dockyard charge, had given false evidence.

EXHIBITION OF MODERN CHINESE ART

At French Convent Next Week

On May 21, 25 and 26, an exhibition of Chinese paintings will be held at the French Convent Chinese Middle School, Caroline Road, Causeway Bay. These paintings, which number a hundred, are the work of Miss Yeung So-ling of the above school, where she is a teacher of Chinese literature and Chinese painting.

The paintings, in modern Chinese, include scrolls and scapes, studies in flowers, birds, etc. Many of them have been exhibited in an International Exhibition in Belgium, also in Nanking, Canton and elsewhere in China. This exhibition should prove of great interest to those interested in modern Chinese Art.

Miss Yeung is not only a painter of high merit but also a scholar and professor of distinction. She is a Catholic and wishes to devote the proceeds of this exhibition, one half to Catholic charities, and the other half to the Chinese Government for relief of the distress due to the present war.

Miss Yeung is a pupil of Mr. Ko Kim-foo, and Mr. Pau Shiu-yau, whose names are well-known throughout China and so her work should have an added interest.

The scrolls done by Miss Yeung show a vitality and power that are rare in the works of a feminine artist.

SOCKS FOR WARRIORS

Nanchang, May 20.

The Anti-Japanese League in Nanchang today forwarded 28,500 pairs of cotton socks to the soldiers at the front. (Central News)

WEDDING BELLS

Quiet Ceremony At Cathedral

EVERETT-TURNER

The Dean, Very Rev. J. L. Wilson, officiated at a quiet wedding in the Lady Chapel St. John's Cathedral yesterday when Miss Mary Frances Turner became the bride of Mr. Leonard Everett.

The bride is the niece of the Misses Ethel and Alice Allen, of the old Shanghai family of Dr. Young Allen.

The bridegroom is connected with the General Electric Co. of China Ltd., and is the elder son of Mrs. Everett, and the late Mr. Leonard Everett, of Shanghai. The bride and groom went to school together.

The matron of honour was Mrs. S. D. Begg, of Hong Kong, and the best man was Mr. Paul Dietz. Mr. O. Cuevas gave the bride away.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett left yesterday evening on the Empress of Japan for a short honeymoon in Manila. They expect to return here on the same steamer, and will make their home in the Colony.

WEDDINGS AT REGISTRY

Dr. Chan Fook, M.B., B.S., and Miss Lily Wong, daughter of Mr. Wong Wang-pi, retired merchant, were married at the Registry, Supreme Court, yesterday. The witnesses were Mrs. Tu Yuen-fan and Mr. Wong Shui-lau.

In another ceremony Miss Jessie Loh became the bride of Mr. Chong Thean-yong, foreign correspondent of the Hankow Foreign Trade Office. The witnesses were Mrs. Ling Hung-fu and Mr. Kong Siew-tong.

Mr. W. Aneurin Jones, Deputy Registrar of Marriages, officiated in both cases.

ANNOUNCEMENT

The forthcoming marriage is announced between Mr. Hall Tuckon, merchant, of No. 210 Lai Chi Kok Road, first floor, and Miss So Woon-ying, of No. 130 Lai Chi Kok Road, first floor.

Ambulance Flag Day Results

The nett sum realised by the St. John Ambulance Brigade from the sale of flags, flowers and badges on May 7 and paid into the bank, is \$8,525.87. Bad coins totalled \$130.15.

ART OF ISLAND PARADISE

Balinese Pictures In London

The beauty of the island of Bali—in the Dutch East Indies—and of its natives, is one of the best-established traveller's tales. The show of modern Balinese art at the Calmann Gallery, St. James's-place, well supports the legend that a "wisp of the Golden Age" yet survives in the modern world, writes a Home reporter.

This work, with its suggestion of exotic abundance and delight, is the direct projection of age-long tradition. The Balinese have only lately started painting other than temple frescoes, but there is none of the European influence that has made a decadent hybrid of so much Asiatic art today.

Yet our mediaeval illuminators provide an approach to these forest landscapes and folk-tale action pictures.

There is a reminder of the monks' bestiaries in "Hunting the Tiger" and "Ardjuno Fighting Shiva," with their clear outline, crowded detail and intricate rhythmic design. And the Eastern artists' use of water-colour mixed with fish-glue gives a related effect of medium.

Above all, there is sympathy of feeling. Both kinds of work spring from an undimmed vision of nature and an acute sense of its mystery.

The jungle-curtain of "Tantel," the fairy-tale grotesque of "Hanaman," and the limpid idyll of "Giris Bathing" or "On the Beach," are gems of evocation in spirit and form. They bring their scenes like a physical presence to the senses, and hint at a strangeness that still defies reason behind the background.

An Official Dinner will be given at Government House, on Thursday, May 26, at 8.15 p.m.



Mr. Leonard Everett, of the General Electric Company of China, and his bride, formerly Miss Mary Frances Turner, photographed after their wedding at St. John's Cathedral yesterday, at which the Dean, Very Rev. J. L. Wilson, officiated. (Photo, A.C.P.)

MR. E. COCK ON VOLUNTEERING IN COLONY

Not Appreciated As It Ought To Be

Mr. E. Cock, M.B.E., who was one of the official guests at the Hong Kong Volunteer Defence Corps annual dinner last night, said, in the course of a brief speech, that he did not think that the importance of volunteering was appreciated, as it ought to be, by the public generally.

"There are in the Colony many men who would, in an emergency, spring to arms," added Mr. Cock.

"The importance, therefore, to increase recruitment is obvious. What is being done?" asked the speaker. "To encourage men to become or remain volunteers, the Government free them from certain other public duties, but I regard this kind of encouragement as rather negative in type."

"If something more positive, if some real benefit or protection could be secured for you, we would be rendering back in a more practical way some better recognition of your services," said Mr. Cock. "This may be a way in which the Advisory Board might extend its function with advantage."

In conclusion, Mr. Cock paid warm tribute to the work done by Col. R. C. B. Anderson, commandant of the Corps.

SMALL-POX IN CANTON

Quarantine restrictions have been imposed against arrivals from Canton on account of small-pox.

COLONY HEALTH

Five cases of small-pox (one imported), four of diphtheria, three each of measles (one imported) and cerebro-spinal fever, two of dysentery and one of enteric fever, were notified to the local Health authorities on Thursday.

NEW STAMPS OF KING GEORGE VI

Postage stamps of the new issue H.M. King George VI in the denominations 1 cent, 5 cents, 2 dollars will be put on sale as from May 24 (Tuesday).

In order to assist dealers and others who require considerable quantities of these stamps for "first day covers," supplies in complete sheets of 120 stamps only will be available at the Chief Accountant's Office, 1st floor, Post Office Building, from 4.30 p.m. to 5.00 p.m. on Monday, May 12.

The stamps will not be valid for postage until May 24.

His Excellency the Governor and Lady Northcote will attend Divine Service at St. John's Cathedral tomorrow at 11 a.m. His Excellency will read the Lessons.

MUSIC IN THE FACTORY

Jazz Increases Output

A Wembley firm which recently installed a wireless set in its factory has noticed that the effect of music on the girl workers has been to increase production by more than 10 per cent. The music, however, was not appreciated by the male staff of the office.

The effects of music on general work appear, indeed, to vary considerably. There is no guarantee that one type of music will be acceptable to all.

An investigator of the National Institute of Industrial Psychology visited a laundry in Scotland where shirts and collars were being treated with amazing expedition to martial music. These workers would not have jazz at any price, and their output is now described as "astounding, even alarming."

TWO HOURS A DAY

Their daily dose of martial music is an hour in the morning and an hour in the afternoon, and so successful has been the prescription that other Scottish firms are experimenting on similar lines.

On the other hand equally excellent results have been found in the establishment of a Sheffield firm of pea packers where the girls, by unanimous choice, are regaled with jazz and other forms of dance music.

Then there is the experience of a motor manufacturing company which has loud-speakers in the workshops. Programmes of one hour are given in the mornings and afternoons and many of the workers bring their own gramophone records to be played. Dance tunes are the most popular, followed by marches with a definite rhythm harmonising with the noises of the workshops.

General results indicate that in repetition work the stimulus of music means an increase in output of as much as 10 per cent., and that its introduction has such an effect on fatigue and boredom that even the sickness rate falls.

The Industrial Health Research Board find that it is dangerous to generalise in the "music and work" question, and that while on broad principles the introduction of music into industry is to be welcomed each case should have separate consideration before action is taken.

Opinions expressed by the workers themselves are illuminating. "Music makes you work better because you talk less," said one girl. "If on a bad job, music helps you to forget, and it stops you grumbling," is another view.

Dr. C. S. Myers, Principal of the National Institute of Industrial Psychology, agrees that the effect of music on office staffs is likely to be more of a nuisance than a blessing, and that the more concentrated the mental work the greater nuisance it may become. In industry, in his view, it is best employed at certain hours of the day and not continuously.

CHINESE PLANES STAGE DAWN RAID ON JAPANESE CITIES

NO BOMBS DROPPED BUT LEAFLETS RAINED TO URGE WAR OPPOSITION

Heroes Enthusiastically Welcomed In Hankow

Hankow, May 20. Chinese bombers raided Osaka and Sasebo early this morning, dropping tons of leaflets but no bombs. They encountered no pursuit planes nor anti-aircraft fire returned to their base safely.—(Reuter).

NO ENMITY

Hankow, May 20. The Chinese bombers took off from a secret base at midnight. They kept in constant wireless communication with their base while winging their way across the China and Japan Seas.

Attention was directed principally on the Sasebo naval base, whence Japanese troop transports and warships sail for China.

The raid occurred between 2 and 3 o'clock in the morning.

Leaflets dropped by the Chinese bombers assured the Japanese populace that the Chinese people entertain no enmity towards the Japanese people or the Imperial Household and expressed the hope that the people of Japan would rise to oppose the invasion of Chinese territory by their militarists.

WARM RECEPTION

The Chinese pilots were enthusiastically greeted when they returned to Hankow at 11.30 this morning.

Among those who were present to receive the air heroes were Dr. H. H. Kung, President of the Executive Yuan and concurrently Minister of Finance, General Ho Ying-ching, Minister of War, and General Chien Ta-chun, chief aide-camp of Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek and executive officer of the Chinese Air Force.

The aerodrome was packed with a huge crowd, while brass bands played stirring music, crackers were fired and cameras kept grinding incessantly.

General Chien Ta-chun's small daughter presented the airmen with baskets of flowers.

Dr. Kung, on behalf of the Chinese Government, and General Ho, on behalf of the Army, addressed the airmen, congratulating them on their historic trip and also on their safe return, both stressing the point that no bombs were dropped on the Japanese cities, which was an example of the finest side of Chinese culture.

Replying on behalf of the Air Force, General Chien thanked the leaders for their encouragement and pointed out that the Chinese Air Force was only trying to do its share in fighting aggression for national preservation.

OIL LEAKAGE

Interviewed by Reuter, the leader of the Chinese "squadron" said: "Soon after we had left the China coast we were fired at by Japanese warships in the vicinity of a small island but none of our machines were damaged."

"Weather conditions were bad. We reached the Japanese coast about 3.30 a.m. and dropped leaflets all over Nagasaki. We encountered no Japanese pursuit planes nor anti-aircraft fire."

"My own machine developed oil leakage soon after we left the China coast but fortunately the leakage was not serious."

"We made the round trip without incident."

Two bombers, with four Chinese airmen in each, participated in the raid. The machines were giant twin-motored monoplanes Martin bombers.—(Reuter).

NO BOMBS CARRIED

Hankow, May 20. In connection with this morning's air raid over Japan, some Chinese officials stated that it was proposed to bomb Tokyo and Osaka in retaliation for the bombing of Chinese cities by the Japanese.

Others, however, objected to the proposal on the ground that "Japanese civilians must not suffer for the aggression of their militarists."

The Chinese planes carried no bombs.—(Reuter).

SURPRISE VISIT

Hankow, May 20. The Chinese air raid on Japan took the Japanese entirely by surprise. The air raid alarm was not sounded until the planes were already flying over Japan.

No anti-aircraft fire was directed at the Chinese machines nor did any pursuit planes take to the air. The only sign of air defence was a black-out at Nagasaki.

The eight gallant young Chinese airmen who took part in the raid include:

Squadron Leader Hsu Ngal-sheng.

Vice-Squadron Leader Tung Yen-po.

Pilot Chiang Shao-yu.

Pilot Su Kwang-chi.

Pilot An Shih-chiu and

Pilot Mei Yuan-kung.—(Central News).

FIVE LEAFLETS

Hankow, May 20. The Chinese aeroplanes dropped five different leaflets over Japanese cities today.

The first leaflet contains evidence of Japanese prisoners concerning the good treatment accorded to them by the Chinese.

The second appeals to the Japanese people to carry on peace propaganda.

The third addresses the Japanese military, which is told that there is no Communism in China against which the struggle of the Japanese is allegedly directed.

The fourth appeals to the Japanese political parties, declaring that normal relations between China and Japan are made impossible by the Japanese military, who have also suspended the Japanese Constitution.

The fifth leaflet appeals to Japanese business, pointing out that an important market for Japan is being destroyed.—(Transocean).

JAPANESE SILENT

Tokyo, May 20. No confirmation is forthcoming here of the Chinese planes' visit to Osaka this morning.

The local authorities, who refuse to make a statement, say they believe the reported Chinese raid is of the "purest imagination".—(Reuter).

CENSORED

Reuter cables from Shanghai state that the Japanese censors in that city have stopped a message from Shanghai relating to the air visit to Japan of Chinese planes.

The censors stated, "We have been ordered by the military authorities to suppress the news."

SOVIET AIR ACE DEAD

Moscow, May 20. Babushkin, one of the Soviet's leading airmen, and three other fliers, were killed when their plane crashed in a take-off from an aerodrome near Archangel today.

The fliers were returning from an expedition to Franz Josef Land where they had been on an exploration and map-making flight.—(Reuter).

GOODRICH RUBBER PLANT CLOSED

Akron, Ohio, May 20. The entire plant of the Goodrich Rubber Company was closed today following the refusal of union members to start a midnight shift.

Pickets barred access to the factory.—(Reuter).

CHINESE SINK JAPANESE PINNACE

Canton, May 20. Gallantly resisting an attack by Japanese marines in several pinnaces with their native guns and muskets, the crew of four Chinese boats near Yung-how, on the east Chungshan coast, sank one of the Japanese vessels and killed about 20 marines before they were finally overpowered and slaughtered, according to reports just received.

The boats were sailing to Chungshan when they encountered an armed Japanese trawler.—(Central News).

GUERRILLAS ARE ACTIVE AROUND PEIPING AND TIENTSIN

Rail Traffic To Paotingfu Disrupted

Hankow, May 20.

Persistent reports stating that Chinese guerrillas have been extremely active harassing the Japanese in the vicinity of Paotingfu are borne out by the fact that railway traffic between Peiping and Paotingfu has been disrupted for some time.

Indications show that all is not well in the Peiping and Tientsin area. A large number of Japanese soldiers, keeping isolated posts in the outskirts of Peiping, were reported lost during the last few days.

BARRACKS ATTACKED

Messages received from Tientsin state that sporadic fighting has been going on between Chinese guerrillas and Japanese troops in the west and southern suburbs of Peiping.

Around Tientsin, Chinese guerrillas are active at Paotingfu, in the southern suburbs, and along the banks of the Hai Ho River.

Taking advantage of the depletion of Japanese troops at the site of the Nankai University at Paotingfu, the guerrillas have made several attacks on the Japanese barracks there.

Japanese reinforcements have now been dispatched to the area.—(Central News).

LONDON TUBE DISASTER

Wrong Wiring Given As Cause At Inquiry

London, May 20. Hitherto unexplained, the cause of the collision in the underground railway was given by the railway authorities at the inquiry today as "The eastbound steering signal at Charing Cross failed to give security owing to a wrong connection in the wiring which was carried out during alterations the previous night," and added that the first train had been stopped by the signal halfway between Charing Cross and Temple stations, when the second train collided.—(Reuter).

LATEST REPORTS FROM CHINESE WAR ZONES

NEWSMEN TO SEE HSUCHOW

Shanghai, May 20. The complete occupation of Hsuehchow by Japanese forces was announced by the Japanese Headquarters here late yesterday evening.

Japanese Headquarters at Peiping have invited foreign correspondents there to visit Hsuehchow by special plane. Details of the present situation in the region of the Lunghai Railway will be available probably only after this visit.

Late this evening, the situation was still very obscure.—(Transocean).

JAPANESE LAND AT HUKOW

Shanghai, May 20. A Japanese naval party has landed near Hukow, which is the eastern terminus of the Lunghai Railway to the sea. Hukow is situated twenty miles east of Hsuehchow.—(Reuter).

On Tuesday, May 24, at 8.15 a.m., His Excellency the Governor will embark off Queen's Pier in H.M. Submarine Rorqual for a short cruise.

TEXACO MEN ASSAULTED BY JAPANESE

Another Outrage In Shanghai

Hankow, May 20. Eighteen Chinese workers of the Texas Oil Company in Shanghai were severely beaten today while on their way to work in Yangtse-poo, by a number of Japanese blue-jackets.

The workers who were accompanied by four foreign members of the company, were assaulted with heavy rods and sticks.

Defenceless, the 18 Chinese, helped by the foreigners, quickly retraced their steps.

Upon learning of the outrage, the Texas Company immediately made a report to the American Consulate.—(Central News).

IT IS NOTIFIED THAT PARCEL POST SERVICE TO AMOY IS TEMPORARILY SUSPENDED.

PASSPORTS OF FOREIGNERS

Inconveniences At Tientsin Being Dealt With

Peiping, May 20. Reliable sources in Tientsin state that the recent difficulties there concerning the passports of foreigners are being dealt with.

Passport examiners at the East Station are reported to be more lenient and are now advising foreigners to secure visas from local authorities, whereas recently they had insisted that such visas should be obtained, and, in some cases, seized the passports.

DELAY AND INCONVENIENCE

Nevertheless, a number of foreigners had recently been delayed, and considerably inconvenienced by passport examinations on arrival there from Peiping.

It is learned that a representative of the Japanese Army in Peiping has gone to Tientsin to confer with the Chinese and Japanese authorities there on the subject.—(Reuter).

ONE MORE STATE RECOGNISES ITALIAN EMPIRE

Rome, May 20. Uruguay has recognised the Italian conquest of Abyssinia.

The Uruguayan Minister, Dr. Frederico Cuestas, has notified the Italian Government officially that he has been accredited to the "King of Italy and Emperor of Ethiopia".—(Transocean).

King Victor Emmanuel left Rome last night for Syracuse, where he will board his yacht, the Savola, for a cruise.—(Transocean).

SOUTH AFRICAN ELECTIONS

GOVERNMENT GAINS LARGE MAJORITY

Capetown, May 20. The latest returns in the South African general elections are as follows:

United Party (Government): 106;

Nationalist Party: 18;

Dominion Party: 8;

Labour Party: 3;

Socialist: 1.

It is anticipated that the final results will give the Government the same number of supporters as in the last Parliament.—(Reuter).

MR. H.F. WESTLAKE'S CONDITION STILL SERIOUS

Inquiries made late last night elicited the information that the condition of Mr. H. F. Westlake, acting Clerk to the Chief Justice, who is lying gravely ill in the Queen Mary Hospital, was unchanged.

EMPIRE DAY

The public are hereby reminded that Empire Day, Tuesday, May 24, 1938, is a public holiday and that all educational establishments, public offices and Government departments will not be open for ordinary business on that day.

On Monday at 3.30 p.m., His Excellency the Governor, Sir Geoffrey Northcote, will dine with the Flag Officers and Members of the Royal Hong Kong Yacht Club at the Hong Kong Club.

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PALESTINE WAR AGAINST REBELS

TROOPS TO BLOCK SOURCES OF SUPPLY

Jerusalem, May 20.

An order has been issued to block rebel sources of supply. Detachment of troops and police are being stationed semi-permanently as from today in all villages throughout Samaria and Galilee. Mobile columns are patrolling the districts constantly.—(Reuter).

MISSING DOCTOR FOUND WELL

Port Darwin, May 20. Dr. David King and his pilot, who have been missing for two days, were found uninjured near the Victoria River.—(Reuter).

FOOD SITUATION IN MADRID

(Continued from Page 1)

REPUBLICAN DEFENCE

Barcelona, May 20. A bulletin issued here tonight states that the eastern army of the Nationalists attacked the Republican positions at Escalona and Puyarruego today in order to cover a retreat of isolated Nationalist units there. Republican troops repulsed the attacks.

The Levant army reports that the Nationalists launched new violent attacks in the Cedrilla sector, but Government troops held their positions and recaptured Mount Penarroya.

Seven Nationalist planes were shot down in this engagement.—(Transocean).

FRANCO'S ENVOY TO HUNGARY

Budapest, May 20. The Regent, Admiral Horthy, today received the newly-appointed Spanish Nationalist Minister to Hungary, Angel de Muguro.—(Transocean).

TO RESTORE CONTROL

London, May 20. A meeting of the Chairman's Sub-Committee of the Non-Intervention Committee has been arranged for May 26 to discuss the restoration of frontier control in Spain and withdrawal of foreign volunteers.—(Reuter).

SUTCLIFFE AND VERITY IN FORM

Yorkshire Beat
Essex

London, May 20. In a County Cricket championship match concluded at Sheffield today, Yorkshire defeated Essex by 127 runs.

Yorkshire scored 171 (Sutcliffe 82, Nichols 7 for 82) and 127 (Hutton 68), while Essex replied with 131 (Smalles 6 for 59) and in their second innings, could only realise 90 against the fine bowling of Hedley Verity, who captured seven wickets for 40.

WORCESTER WIN
At Basingstoke, Worcestershire beat Hampshire by 193 runs.

Worcester totalled 289 (Gibbons 144) and 228 for nine wickets declared, while Hampshire scored 217 (Martin 6 for 73) and 107 (Martin 5 wickets for 43).—(Reuter).

MURDER OF MAJOR DEMPSTER

Steps Taken To Bring Culprits To Justice

Peiping, May 20. It is learned that the Chinese authorities in Tientsin have informed the American authorities that the Magistrate in Tingschow district has been ordered to take vigorous measures to effect the arrest and punishment of those responsible for the murder near Tingschow recently of Major Dempster, an American officer of the Salvation Army, then stationed in Tingschow.—(Reuter).

NEW SOVIET COMMISSARS

Moscow, May 20. It was officially today that the following new members have been appointed to the Union Council of People's Commissars:

M. Lobanov as Commissar for Agriculture, M. Gopov for State Farms and M. Ranzhoy for Municipal Economy.—(Transocean).

His Excellency and Lady Northcote will be present at a performance to be given by the Concert Party of the No. 37 Company, R.A.M.C., in aid of the Boy Scouts Association and R.A.M.C. Charities, at the China Fleet Club Theatre on Friday, May 27, at 9 p.m.

ADVERTISEMENTS.

THE HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB.

THE FIFTH EXTRA RACE MEETING will be held (weather permitting) at HAPPY VALLEY on SATURDAY, 21st MAY, 1938, commencing at 2.00 p.m.

The First Bell will be rung at 1.30 p.m.

MEMBERS' ENCLOSURE

No One without a badge will be admitted to the Members' Enclosure.

Badges admitting Non-Members to the Members' Enclosure and Club Rooms at \$5.00, for Gentlemen and \$3.00 for Ladies (both including tax) are obtainable through the SECRETARY upon the personal or written application of a Member, such Member to be responsible for all visitors introduced by him, and for Payment of All Chits, &c.

The Secretary's Office, 1st floor, Exchange Building (Tel. 27794) will close at 12 Noon.

Tickets are obtainable at the Club House provided they are ordered in advance from the No. 1 Box. Telephone 21920.

PUBLIC ENCLOSURE

The Price of Admission to the Public Enclosure is \$1.00 including Tax, for all Persons, including Ladies, and is payable at the Gate. Soldiers and Sailors in Uniform are admitted Half Price.

By Order,

C. B. BROWN,

Secretary

Hong Kong, 16th May, 1938.

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BILLIARDS

K.C.C. LOSE TO RECREIO

In a friendly inter-club billiards match played at King's Park yesterday evening, Club de Recreio beat the Kowloon Cricket Club by six matches to nil, four singles and two doubles making up the programme.

The highest break of the evening, 33, was made by A. P. Pereira, Jr., who followed this with another run of 23, both recorded in his game against W. Geall.

Results follow:—Singles:—A. P. Pereira, Jr., beat W. Geall; J. C. Remedios beat R. E. Lee; E. M. L. Soares beat W. Mulcahy; J. Remedios beat J. C. Cunha.

Doubles:—A. V. Gosano and E. M. Cunha beat A. E. Silkstone and R. S. Capell; C. F. Rozario and A. A. Noronha beat R. Craig and W. W. Hirst.

TENNIS LEAGUE

Only One Match Played

At King's Park yesterday, Club de Recreio beat the Chinese Recreation Club by 6 sets to nil in the "D" Division of the Men's Doubles League.

Owing to the sudden condition of the courts, the last three sets were not played as, whatever their final result, a win for the home team was assured.

Scores:—A. M. da Silva and H. Gonsalves (Recreio) beat C. Wei and H. N. Chan, 6-2; beat S. L. Ma and S. Cheung, 6-1.

A. G. Xavier and M. Gutierrez (Recreio) beat M. C. Lau and P. H. Chu, 6-2; beat Wei and Chan, 6-2.

L. F. V. Ribeiro and W. A. Reed (Recreio) beat Lau and Chu, 6-3; beat Ma and Cheung, 6-4.

All other games were postponed but the Kowloon Cricket Club, who were to have played, the Radio Sports Club, were ready but their opponents failed to put in an appearance.

GODDARD TAKES 13 WICKETS FOR 107

HOME CRICKET RESULTS

London, May 20.

T.W.J. Goddard the Gloucestershire slow bowler who last year took 248 wickets and was originally a fast bowler, performed magnificently with the ball in the County Cricket championship match at Gillingham where Gloucester defeated Kent by 169 runs.

Goddard was responsible for the dismissal of thirteen batsmen in two innings at a cost of 107 runs.

Gloucester totalled 221, of which Barnett scored 98, while Wright took seven wickets at 11 runs apiece. In their second innings, Gloucester declared at 208 for the loss of nine wickets.

Kent, against the bowling of Goddard (7 for 57 and 6 for 50) could only total 132 and 127 runs.

SUNDAY WIN

At the Oval, Surrey defeated Derbyshire by 68 runs in a close match.

Surrey, in their first knock totalled 132 and 174 in their second innings. Rhodes captured 5 wickets for 50, while George Pope, a fast medium bowler whose recent performances are likely to earn him a place in the English Test team, dismissed four batsmen for 36 runs.

Derby fared badly in their first visit to the crease and were dismissed for 94 runs. Brown (6 for 44) and Berry (4 for 15) sharing the wickets.

Derby totalled 194 in their second venture, Brown claiming five wickets for 91 runs.

BROWN'S CENTURY

The Australian batsman W. A. Brown got going at last in the match against Northamptonshire, scoring 194 not out in the Australians' total of 406 for six declared. Don Bradman failed for the first time, being dismissed for two runs. C. L. Badcock, who had 72 out of a total of 128 for no wicket during yesterday morning's play, was sent back without any addition to his score when the match resumed today.

At close of play, Northants had 139 on the board for the loss of three wickets, Nelson scoring 74. (Reuter).

MAY CANCEL OLYMPICS

Continuation of the Sino-Japanese war might mean cancellation of the 1940 Olympic Games, scheduled for Tokyo, according to Sir James Leigh-Wood, chairman of the British Empire Games Federation, who arrived in Montreal recently en route home to London from the Empire Games in Sydney, Australia.

Sir James said he believed if the Olympics were not held in Tokyo in 1940 they might be postponed until the next Olympic date, 1944.

"Chairmen of the various sections of the Empire discussed the Tokyo situation unofficially," he told reporters, "and several of them expressed grave doubts about sending athletes to Tokyo."

Sporting Fixtures

TODAY

BASEBALL.—Indian R.C. v. Volunteers.

BOWLS.—First Division: Indian R.C. v. Craighower C.C., Kowloon C.C. v. Police R.C., Recreio v. Kowloon B.G.C., Civil Service C.C. v. Kowloon Docks R.C.; Second Division: Kowloon B.G.C. v. Recreio, Police R.C. v. Civil Service C.C., Craighower C.C. v. Hong Kong F.C., "A" Talkoo R.C. v. Hong Kong F.C., "B"; Third Division: Hong Kong F.C. v. Yacht Club, Kowloon F.C. v. Hong Kong Electric, Recreio v. Kowloon C.C., Craighower C.C. v. Kowloon Tong.

FOOTBALL.—S. China v. Federation Cochín Chinoise de Football Association (Causeway Bay), 5.30 p.m.

GOLF.—Bogey (Par) Pool (Fanning): Summer Cup, Semi-Final (Kowloon).

RACING.—Hong Kong Jockey Club Fifth Extra Race Meeting, at Happy Valley, 1.30 p.m.

TOMORROW

BASEBALL.—U.S.S. Mindanao v. Hong Kong B.C., Recreio v. Chinese B.C.

GOLF.—Bogey (Par) Pool (Fanning): Summer Cup, semi-final (Kowloon).

HELEN WILLS MOODY IS PLAYING HER BEST GAME AT PRESENT TIME

Lure Of The Wimbledon Championship

Mrs. Helen Wills Moody, who made tennis history in 1935 with a comeback for her seventh Wimbledon title, and is now in England, is at present playing what coaches declare is her best game.

The lure of the Wimbledon championship, virtually symbolic of the world title, proved irresistible for Mrs. Moody, who in 1936 announced she was retiring to design fashion.

Recently, however, she began intensive training for another big-time campaign that again may pit her against Helen Jacobs, loser in the famous 1935 Wimbledon final.

Mrs. Moody won after trailing 2-5 in the final set. In 1933, Mrs. Moody and Miss Jacobs, long keen tennis rivals, met in the finals of the National championships at Forest Hills. Trailing in the deciding set, Mrs. Moody was forced to default by a back injury.

"My back seems as good as ever," said Mrs. Moody recently as she finished an exhaustive match with Gerald Stratford, former California champion.

A strong wind failed to slow her hard driving game, but she lamented "I was awful."

"I'm not saying whether I am satisfied with my game or whether I think I can win again at Wimbledon," she said. "But I have trained harder for this season than for any other I can remember."

KINSEY PREDICTS

Howard Kinsey, California Tennis Club coach and former Davis Cup doubles star, predicted another title for Mrs. Moody.

FANLING GOLF

Starting Times For Sunday

OLD COURSE

9.12 a.m.—S. H. Dodwell and K. S. Morrison.

9.16 a.m.—T. E. and T. A. Pearce.

9.20 a.m.—G. N. Murphy and J. H. M. Andrew.

9.24 a.m.—N. K. Littlejohn and J. G. Campbell.

9.28 a.m.—A. D. & D. Humphreys.

9.32 a.m.—M. I. Cooper and C. A. King.

9.36 a.m.—A. B. Purves and I. H. Geare.

9.56 a.m.—J. Stenersen and F. Groves.

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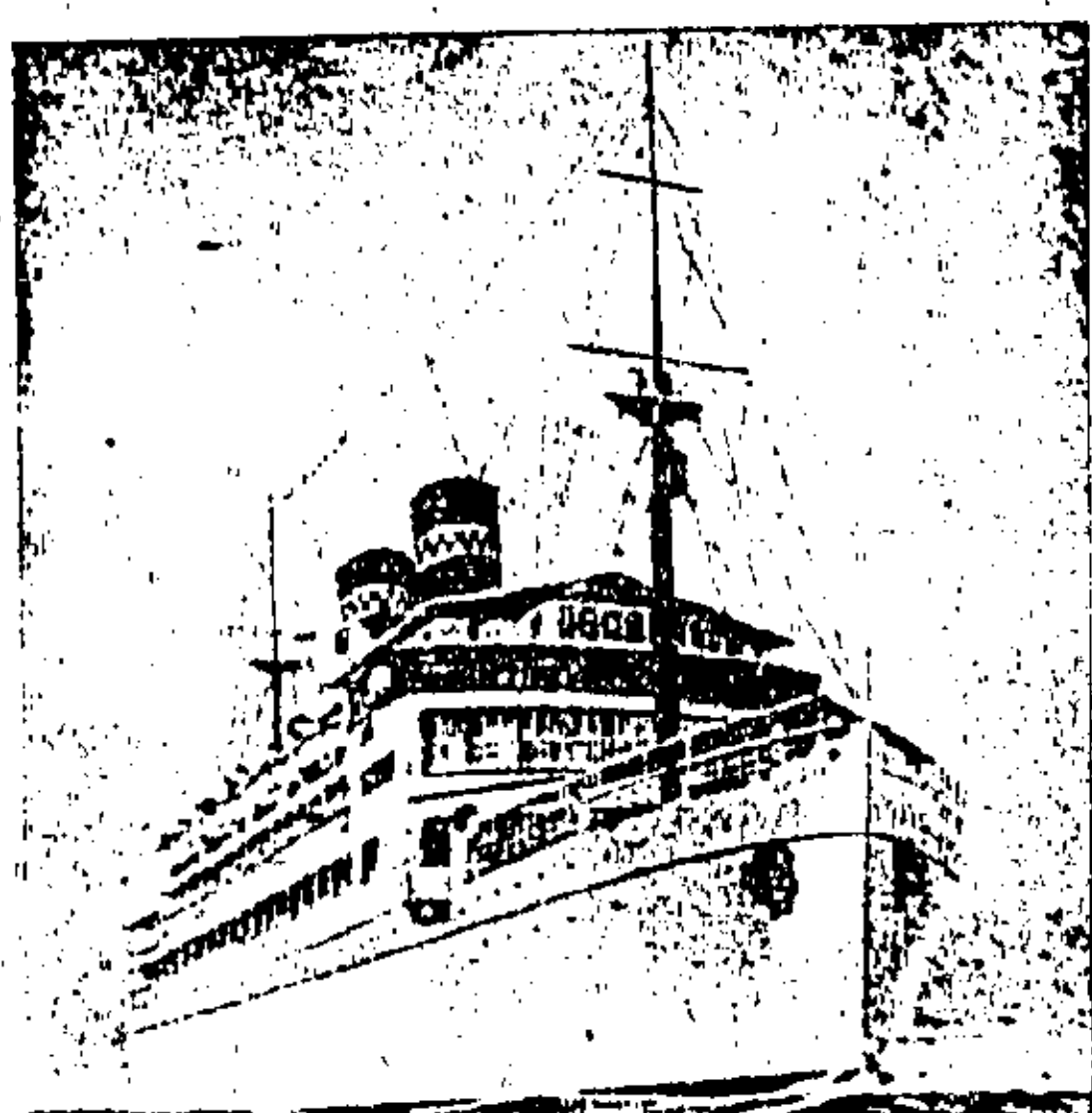
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VOLUNTEER DINNER

GOVERNOR ON DEFENCE OF COLONY

(Continued from Page 2)

not therefore conclude my speech this evening without telling you all how much I have appreciated the honour of being appointed the first Regular Commandant of this Corps. Time does not permit me to thank individually all those who have helped me in my task. There is, however, one gentleman here this evening to whom I owe a very special debt of gratitude, my predecessor in command, Colonel Dowbiggin. When Colonel Dowbiggin vacated command nearly two years ago, I expressed a hope that he would continue to interest himself in the Corps and that he would give me the benefit of his advice and experience.

He promised to do so and I am sure you will all agree that he has faithfully fulfilled that promise. I have never gone to him for advice and come away empty handed and it is unnecessary for me to point out the value of the advice given by a man who, as a result of 32 years residence, knows everything and everyone in the Colony.

MESSAGE TO THE CORPS
To the Officers, Warrant Officers, Non-Commissioned Officers and men of this Corps, I should like to say just this:—

When I first arrived in this Colony, I had very little idea of the work I should be expected to do. I was under the impression that my task would not be a very strenuous one. I soon found out that I was mistaken and that I had been reckoning without the Volunteer.

I discovered that he thrived on work and that if I was going to be of any help to him and if the best possible use was to be made of his services, then I should have to devote all my time to the interest of the Corps.

I was glad to learn that my original expectations were mistaken ones. For the work I was required to do was congenial to me and in my opinion so well worth doing that no sacrifice should be considered too great to accomplish it.

I feel I have been very well rewarded if thereby, I have been able to help you in any way at all in your military work. I am sure also that my successor and any future Regular Commandant will feel as I do as long as you give to them the same measure of support you have so generously given to me.

I am now going to ask all Volunteers to charge their glasses, rise and honour the toast of "Our Guests" coupled with the names of His Excellency the Governor, Brigadier Bisset and Mr. Cock.

GOVERNOR'S SPEECH

Replying to the toast, His Excellency the Governor said:—

It is with much pleasure that I rise to reply to the toast of the health of your guests which you have just drunk so kindly. It is a compliment which my guests have all appreciated highly, and not least among them the members of the Advisory Committee and your Honorary Colonel.

On behalf of the Advisory Committee I can assure you gentlemen of the Volunteer Corps that, great though their pleasure is in enjoying your hospitality this evening, it is greatly transcended by that with which they listened to your Colonel's good report upon the Corps' activities during the last year.

Beside that sense of pleasure I assure you that your guests also feel real gratitude to you gentlemen who are prepared to give up your leisure time and your comfort to do your duty towards the defence of this Colony. They realize that the sacrifice which you make is not a small one; but they realize also that you are rendering yourselves fit for a day, which we hope may not come, but which, if it comes, will be very dire.

BUG-SHOOTERS

As I listened to your Colonel's speech memory carried me back some 40 years, when I myself first became a Volunteer; those were the days when they used to call us "bug-shooters." If we did not have the complicated training that you gentlemen have today, at any rate I can assure you that volunteering in the last century had plenty of the arduous in it, as anyone who has doubled along Taffans Plain or up the Long Valley, in a tight-waisted red coat, under a heavy helmet and in Corps boots, will agree. It is with just a trace of pride that I recall that I ran so hard in those days that I was promoted to the rank of Lance-Corporal.

I have had the advantage over most, or those present, in having seen the Annual Report of the Corps for the year 1937. As Colonel Anderson has observed, the

year has been characterised by a great measure of re-organisation and a very considerable expansion. I will not traverse again the ground which he has covered so ably, but I will touch on one or two of the principal items.

I am very glad indeed to welcome the Chinese Machine Gun Company.

In entrusting to them a part of the armed defences of this Colony, Government has, I feel sure, done as well as a welcome thing.

It was with great pleasure that I learned of the willingness of the Military Authorities to rely so largely on this Chinese Company for guarding the fixed defences of the Island and Mainland. Colonel Anderson has been able to pay to that Company's keenness a warm compliment which we all heard with much happiness.

GROWTH OF CORPS

The formation of a Corps Pay Section is significant of the growth of the Corps, which as you know, aims at a full strength of 1,500 men. It is my hope and belief that we shall attain to that full number before long. But, in order to do so, as your Colonel has pointed out forcibly, it is necessary that the Corps should be able to recruit something just under 200 more British Volunteers.

Now, gentlemen, I have mentioned the figure 1,500 as the strength at which the Corps aims: it is not without good reason that the Military Authorities have fixed upon that figure; and it is not without the best of reasons that they insist that we should attain, as soon as possible, not merely to 1,500 men, but to 1,500 trained men.

NOT AN ALARMIST

I do not wish to be an alarmist; I do not think that this Colony is about to be plunged into war, but no one can look around the world today without realising its turmoil and how its peace is jeopardized, and at such a time it is the duty of every British subject in this Colony, who in the event of war would be spared from his peacetime duties, so to train himself now, that then he may be able to play a useful part.

It may well mean the difference between life and death to Hong Kong, whether at the crisis it is seen standing armed cap-a-pie to defend herself or with its defenders little more than half-organized.

ACCOMMODATION

There are one or two other matters on which I should like to speak shortly. I had scarcely arrived in this Colony before a very good friend of the Corps, Major-General Bartholomew, who has sent you a very fine message to-night, represented to me the need for better accommodation for the Corps. I undertook there and then to find that accommodation, and the only reason why no proposals have yet been made public in that respect is that the suggestion then made was that some temporary buildings should be erected.

I was, and indeed am, strongly averse from putting up temporary buildings which will need to be replaced by permanent ones, and my advisers and I have been busy during the last few months seeking a site where permanent headquarters of the Corps might be erected.

With great reluctance I have come to the conclusion that the time is not ripe for that step, and so I have given my provisional concurrence to a scheme which will enlarge the existing accommodation to the minimum which will enable the Corps to function and to train. The buildings will be of a temporary nature; the equipment will be, I fear, on the meagre side; but at any rate I hope that before long such extensions will be made to your buildings that one great deterrent to recruiting will have ceased to be.

I have used the words "provisional concurrence" because I have not yet secured the permission of the Legislative Council or the Secretary of State for this project, but I have no doubt that in both cases it will be accorded.

APPOINTMENTS INCREASE

Another step, which is further advanced than that which I have just mentioned is the increase in the number of permanent appointments of the Corps. It is proposed that the three posts, your Commanding Officer, your Adjutant and your Regimental Sergeant-Major shall no longer be filled by seconded officers, but shall be held as permanent appointments.

This has had the approval of the Finance Committee and is under submission to the Secretary of State. For a Corps of the strength

at which we are aiming I feel sure that that number of permanent officers is a necessity.

There are many other points which occur in the Corps' report for 1937 on which I would like to speak, but I must have some regard for your patience.

I would only say, therefore, that I was very glad to have a hand in the formation of the Corps Rifle Club, and I would like to add my and my fellow-guests congratulations to the Machine Gun Units of the Corps for winning the Efficiency Cup, and to the many other winners of whom Colonel Anderson has spoken.

TRIBUTE TO COL. ANDERSON

But before I sit down I wish on behalf not only of all those present, but on behalf of the Colony as a whole, to pay a most heartfelt tribute of gratitude and admiration to Colonel Anderson for his unfailing zeal and successful service during the period of his command. He ends his report for last year: "I am well satisfied with the work of the Volunteers during the last 12 months. Their keenness has been admirable."

In all cases Exercises have been well attended. Those words of praise are not emphatic, but coming from a soldier like Colonel Anderson they are high praise; but every member of the Corps will agree with me that that praise is due to no one so much as to the officer who has during the past three years organised it with such energy and efficiency.

It is with the greatest regret that we shall part with Colonel Anderson, but though we must lose him from our side, the Corps will not lose him from its memory, and the Colony's records will not allow his services to her to be forgotten.

And now, gentlemen of the Volunteer Corps, that is all I have to say to you tonight in reply to this toast, except that I am glad, to think that in less than a month I shall be seeing at the King's Birthday Parade a detachment from your Corps looking, I feel sure, at its smartest. I thank you again on behalf of your guests for the handsome way in which you drank our health.—(Applause.)

OFFICIAL GUESTS

The official guests were:—His Excellency the Governor, Sir Geoffrey Northcote, K.C.M.G.; Commodore E.B.C. Dicken, O.B.E., D.S.C., Brigadier F.W.L. Bisset, D.S.O., M.C., Hon. Mr. Stanley H. Dodwell, Group-Captain A.H. Peck, D.S.O., M.C., R.A.F., Mr. E. Cock, M.B.E., Colonel N.M.S. Irwin, D.S.O., M.C., Mr. D.C. Edmonstone, Colonel T.L. Rogers, O.B.E., Mr. J. Owen-Rhodes, Colonel A. Burrows, Hon. Mr. Leo D'Almeida e Castro, Jun., Colonel H.B.L. Dowbiggin, O.B.E., Lieut-Colonel G.E. Hall, M.C., Lieut-Colonel O.H. Tidbury, M.C., Squadron-Leader Smith, Mr. A.T. Langston, Commander J. Petrie, D.S.C., H.K.N.V.F., Mr. L.C.F. Bellamy, M.C., Lieut-Colonel B.D. Court-Treath, M.C., Captain W.F.P. Whitmarsh, Captain S.H. Batty-Smith, A.D.C., Garrison Sergeant-Major G.M. Estall, M.C., Regimental Sergeant-Major H. Farrow, M.B.E. (Middlesex Regiment) and Regimental Sergeant-Major J.R. Pirie (Royal Scots).

EUROPE TRIP FRAUD STORY

Retired Indian architect Pheroshah Fardoonji Balsara told the magistrates at Brighton Police Court how a chain of telegrams led him, in pursuit of a will-o-the-wisp £20,000 "deal," from London to Paris, Monte Carlo, Marseilles, Genoa and home again.

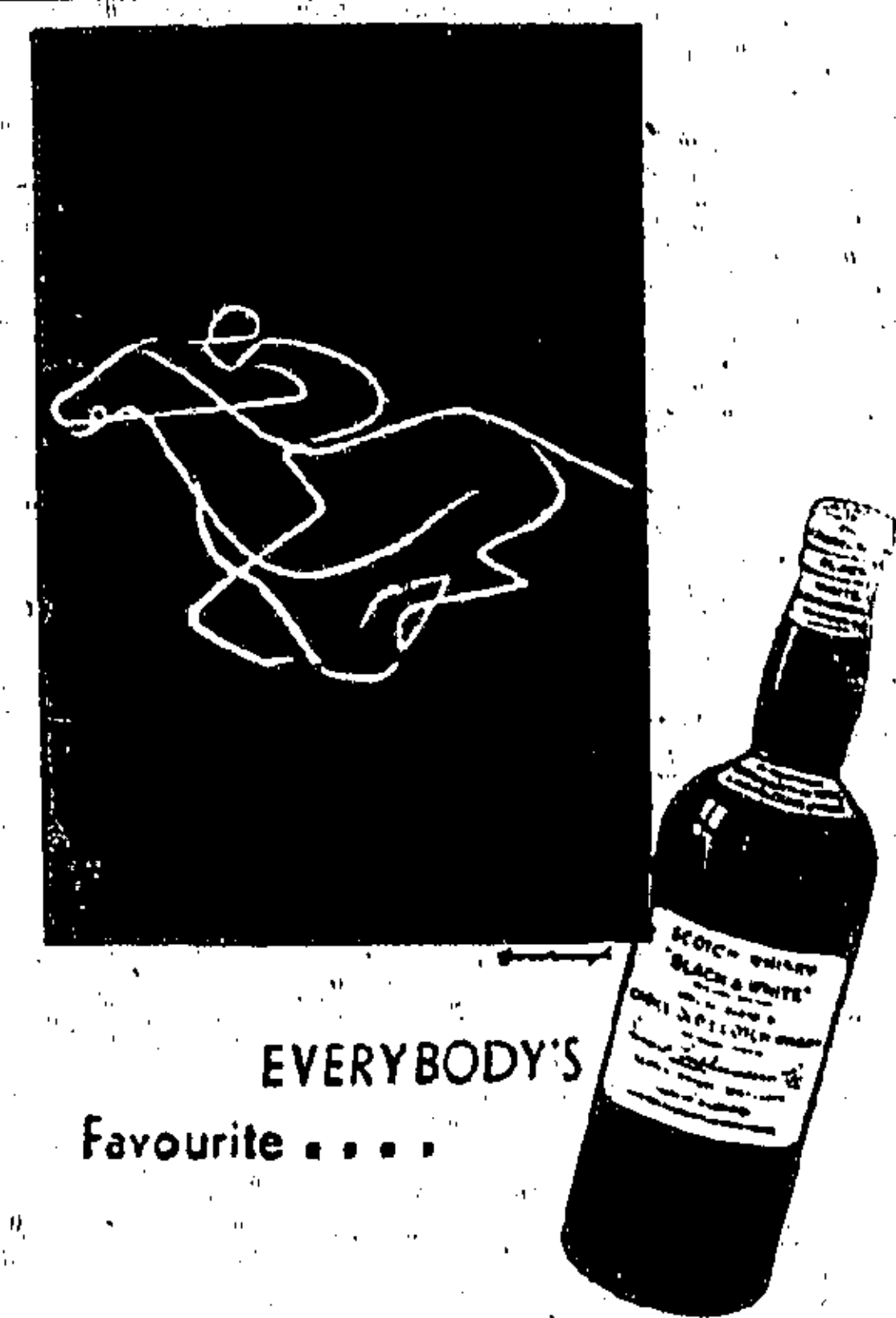
Arthur Cardiff Mead, forty-three, of Camden Park-road, Camden Town, London, N.W., was accused of stealing £2,500 from Balsara, conspiring with William Ray (not in custody) to defraud Balsara of £2,500, and fraudulently converting £2,500.

The case, it was stated, centred on an alleged Stock Exchange deal which was supposed to have yielded a profit of £20,000.

Mead said they could not collect unless they produced another £20,000, said Mr. H. Rogers (prosecuting), and Balsara handed over £2,500.

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12.40 p.m. New Mayfair Orchestra.

"Tell Her the Truth"—Selection (Waller and Tunbridge). Ballad Memories; Gershwin Medley.

1 p.m. Local Time Signal and Weather Report.

1.03 p.m. Primo Scala's Accordion Band and Les Allen (Baritone).

If The Old River Thames Were The Danube; Whoops We Go Again—Band with vocal chorus.

Musical Comedy Requests—Les Allen and His Canadian Bachelors with Orch. She Came From Alsace Lorraine; Don't Save Your Smiles.

—Band with vocal refrain. Moon For Sale; Mine Alone (From "I live for you")—Les Allen and His Canadian Bachelors with Orch. In the Mountains of the Moon; You Needn't Have Kept It A Secret—Band with vocal chorus by Ralph Silvester.

1.30 p.m. Reuter and Rugby Press. Weather Forecast and Announcements.

1.40 p.m. Beethoven—Quartet in B Flat Major, Op. 130.

Played by the Budapest String Quartet (Rolsmann—Schneider—Ipolyi—Schneider).

2.15 p.m. Close down.

6 p.m. Excerpts from Gilbert and Sullivan.

"The Yeomen of the Guard"—Overture—Light Opera Orchestra.

When Maiden Loves, She Sits and Sighs—Nellie Brercliffe (Contralto). "The Mikado"—The Criminal Cried—A Davies, H. A. Lytton, L. Sheffield and Chorus: (a) See How the Fates—D. Fancourt, B. Lewis, A. Davies, H. A. Lytton, L. Sheffield, (b) The Flowers That Bloom in the Spring—D. Oldham and H. A. Lytton.

6.16 p.m. De Groot and His Orchestras.

Selection of Chopin Melodies (arr. De Groot)—De Groot (Violin) David Bor (Piano) Reginald Klibbey (Cello). Der Kasper (De Groot); La Paloma (Yradier)—De Groot and His Orchestra. La Violetera (from "City Lights"); The Song of Songs (Moya)—De Groot and His Orchestra. Until (W. Sanderson); Indian Love Call (from "Rose Marie")—De Groot and the Piccadilly Orchestra. Liebestraume (Liszt); Albumblatt (Wagner arr. Mulder)—De Groot and the Piccadilly Orchestra.

6.45 p.m. London Relay—"Take Your Choice."

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EGYPTIAN DISCOVERS NEW INSCRIPTIONS

Cairo, May 20.

Selim Hassan, Professor of Egyptian History at the University of Cairo, charged by the Egyptian Government with conducting excavations on the River Nile, announces the discovery of a subterranean passage, the walls of which are covered with hundreds of inscriptions and painted frescoes of scenes of ancient Egypt, undoubtedly the greatest collection of Egyptian inscriptions ever found hitherto.

The passage stretches from the Valley of Temple to the tomb of King Unas in Sphara, 20 miles down the Nile and has a width of about 18 metres.

by Aubrey Danvers-Walker. Episode 7: "Anyone Knowing the Whereabouts." The programme will also include variety acts and popular melodies of the day.

7.30 p.m. London Relay—"London Log."

7.40 p.m. Patricia Roseborough (Piano) and Frances Langford (Soprano).

To A Wild Rose (MacDowell); Simple Aveu (Thome)—Patricia Roseborough. Long Ago and Far Away (from "Three Cheers for Love"); It's Like Reaching for the Moon—Frances Langford with Victor Young and His Orchestra.

Sailing Along—Selection; Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs—Selection.

8 p.m. Local Time Signal, Weather Report, Announcements and Closing local Stock Quotations.

8.04 p.m. Mozart—Klavierkonzert in B-Dur, K.V. 456.

Played by Ely Ney with Kammer Orchestra conducted by Dr. W. van Hoogstraten.

8.29 p.m. Songs by Kirsten Flagstad (Soprano).

Ich Liebe Dich (Herren—Beethoven). Die Forelle, Op. 32 (Schubert); (a) Lachen Und Weinen, Op. 59, No. 4 (Ruckert—Schubert); (b) Meine Liebe Ist Grün, Op. 63, No. 5 (Schumann—Brahms).

8.38 p.m. Royal Philharmonic Orchestra.

The Flying Dutchman—Overture (Wagner). The Music of the Spheres (Josef Strauss, Op. 235).

9 p.m. Studio—A Talk on "Local Lawn Bowls" by Claud Hosking.

9.10 p.m. Military Band Music. Clarinet Concerto No. 1 (Weber).

—Garde Republicaine Band of France. Air Varie Sur Un Theme Suisse (Mohr)—Garde Republicaine Band of France conducted by Pierre Dupont. The Jolly Copper-smith (C. Peter)—The Silver Stars Band.

9.30 p.m. London Relay—The News.

9.50 p.m. Sea Shanties. Royal Naval Singers—Sea Songs; Introducing—Jolly Roger, Sailors' Chorus; Royal Naval Singers—Sea Shanties. Introducing—Billy Boy, Johnny Come Down to Rio; I'll Go No More A-Roving, Rio Grande—Portsmouth Royal Naval Singers conducted by C. T. Lee, B.S.C., R.N.

10 p.m. London Relay—"Radio Pie."

The Two Leslies (Leslie Sarony and Leslie Holmes) present the fourth helping of their "Radio Pie." A happy-tiding concoction with more than one plum in it.

The mixture cooked and served up by The Two Leslies and produced by the co-chef of Music-Hall fame John Sharman The "Pie" will contain the following plums: Suzanne Tarr, Lyle Evans, Douglas Young and Nan Kenway, Helen Hill, Hugo, And finally the two pudding stirrers, The Two Leslies. Added seasoning by the B.B.C. Revue Chorus and The B.B.C. Variety Orchestra Chef d'Orchestra, Charles Shadwell.

11 p.m. Relay of the Dance Orchestra from the Grill Room of the Hong Kong Hotel.

(a)—(d) Waltzes.

11.15 p.m. Interval of recorded dance music from ZBW.

11.20 p.m. (a) Kalua, little Heaven of the (b) I'd like to see Samoa of Samoa Seven Seas (c) Love is like a Merry-Go-Round (d) Donkey's Serenade.

11.35 p.m. Interval of recorded dance music from ZBW.

11.45 p.m. (a) Star-Dust (b) Ain't Misbehavin' (c) The One I Love (d) Bel Mir Bist Du Schoen.

12 p.m. Close down.

HERRING INDUSTRY BILL IN COMMONS

London, May 19.

Colonel Colville, one of the two Ministers promoted to Cabinet rank this week, as Secretary for Scotland, moved the second reading in the House of Commons this evening of the Herring Industry Bill which gives a large measure of financial assistance to this industry.

He declared the Government intended to continue to assist the export trade and also to develop home consumption. The measure was welcomed in general by both sections of the Opposition—(British Wireless).

Moreover, a Royal Mausoleum has also been discovered containing thousands of mummies—(Transocean).

Tomorrow

RACHMANINOFF AND KREISLER IN SCHUBERT DUO

"Faust"—Acts 4 and 5

10-11 a.m. Relay of Morning Service from St. Joseph's Church.

11-12.15 p.m. Relay of Morning Service from St. Paul's Church (Chinese).

12.15 p.m. Compositions of John Sebastian Bach.

Toccata And Fugue—Philadelphia Symphony Orchestra conducted by Leopold Stokowski; Sanctus ("Mass In B Minor")—Philharmonic Choir and London Symphony Orchestra cond. by Albert Coates; Sonata For Violin And Piano In C Major Adolf Busch (Violin) and Rudolf Serkin (Piano); Osanna ("Mass In B Minor")—Philharmonic Choir and London Symphony Orchestra cond. by Albert Coates; Benedictus ("Mass In B Minor")—Walter Widdop (Tenor) and London Symphony Orchestra conducted by Albert Coates; Prelude And Fugue In E Minor—Dr. Albert Schweitzer playing on the Organ of Queen's Hall, London; Choral Prelude—Christ Lag In Todesbanden—Leopold Stokowski and the Philadelphia Orchestra.

1 p.m. Time Signal and Weather Report.

1.03 p.m. Hubert Eisdell (Tenor) and Light Symphony Orchestra.

Love's Song Is Sung (Salmer and Russell); Looking For You (Taylor and Sanderson)—Hubert Eisdell; "The Three Men" Suite (Eric Coates): 1. The Man From The Country, 2. The Man About Town, 3. The Man From The Sea—Light Symphony Orchestra conducted by The Composer; A House Love Made For You And Me (G. Johnstone and E. Coates); Stars And A Crescent Moon (P. Black and E. Coates)—Hubert Eisdell; Valse From "Wood Nymphs" (Eric Coates)—Light Symphony Orchestra conducted by The Composer.

1.30 p.m. Reuter and Rugby Press. Weather Forecast and Announcements.

1.40 p.m. Gounod—"Faust"—Acts 4 and 5.

Vocalists: Miriam Licette, Robert Easton, Doris Vane, Harold Williams, Heddie Nash; Muriel Brunsell and The B.B.C. Choir with Orchestra and Organ conducted by Sir Thomas Beecham.

2.30 p.m. Close Down.

7 p.m. Debussy Compositions. The Children's Corner—Suite Dr. Gradus ad Parnassum; The Snow Is Dancing; Serenade For The Doll; Jumbo's Lullaby; The Little Shepherd; Gollwog's Cake Walk—Walter Gieseking (Piano Solo); "Dances": 1. Danse Sacree, 2. Danse Profane—Leopold Stokowski and the Philadelphia Orchestra; Etude XI Pour Les Arpeges Composes—Vladimir Horowitz; (Piano); Poissons D'or ("Images"—Set 2 No. 3)—Walter Gieseking (Piano Solo); Menuet—Joseph Szigeti (Violin Solo); Kurt Ruhseltz at the Piano.

7.49 p.m. Choral. Legend (Christ in His Garden—Tchaikovsky)—Royal Choral Society cond. by Dr. Malcolm Sargent; Lift Up Your Head; Worthy Is The Lamb ("The Messiah"—Handel)—The Royal Choral Society accom. by The Royal Albert Hall Orchestra Organist: R. Arnold Greir, Conductor: H. L. Balfour; Messiah—(Handel); Aria: Why Do The Nations; Chorus: Let Us Break Their Bonds—Harold Williams and The B.B.C. Choir; Hallelujah Chorus—The B.B.C. Choir with Orchestra and Organ conducted by Sir Thomas Beecham.

8 p.m. Local Time Signal and Weather Report.

8.03 p.m. Yehudi Menuhin (Violin).

Campanella, Op. 7 Bis; Moto Perpetuo, Op. 11 (Paganini); La Ronde Des Lutins, Op. 25 (Bazzini).

8.17 p.m. Marek Weber and His Orchestra with Richard Crooks (Tenor).

Puccini—Potpourri—Orchestra; Columbine's Rendezvous, (Hekken); Song Of Paradise (Reginald King)—Orchestra; Springtime Reminds Me Of You (Rottler and Jurman); My Sunshine Is You (Stolz)—Richard Crooks; Tiny Tot (Fisher, Lotter); Waltz (Durand)—Orchestra; Garden Of Happiness (Lockton—Wood); Arise O Sun (Lockton—Day)—Richard Crooks; In The Temple Of The Bells (Rudy From, Peking—Yoshitomo); Chinese Fairy Tales—Character Sketch (Dreyer, arr. Yoshitomo)—Orchestra; Suite Orientale (Popy): 1. Les Bayaderes, 2. Au Bord du Gange, 3. Les Almees, 4. Patrouille—Orchestra.

9.08 p.m. Schubert—Duo For Piano And Violin In A Major, Op. 162.

Played by Sergei Rachmaninoff (Piano) and Fritz Kreisler (Violin).

9.30 p.m. Reuter and Rugby Press. Weather Forecast and Announcements.

9.40 p.m. Rubinstein Playing Chopin.

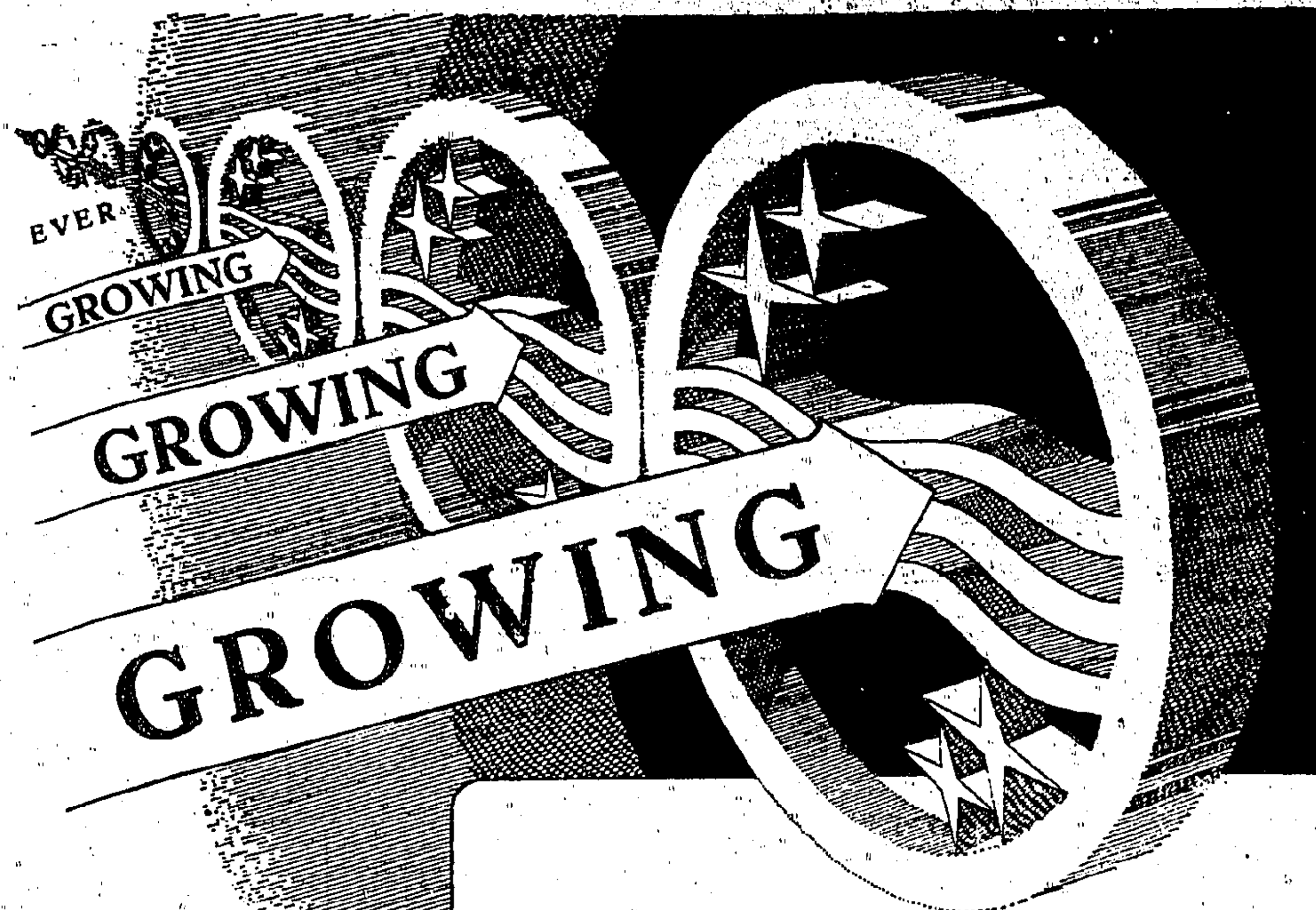
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10 p.m. Organ Music.

Fantasia In F Minor (Mozart)—G. D. Cunningham (Organ Solo).

10.10 p.m. Studio—Sunday Evening Epilogue: Rev. J. Sangsack on John Wesley's Bi-Centenary.

10.30 p.m. Close Down.



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14.00 Lady's Choir "Bel Canto."

14.30 Close down and national anthem.

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Trans. I (G.S.O. G.S.G. G.S.B.).

1 p.m.—Big Ben. "At the Black Dog." Mr. Wilkes at home in his own bar-parlour.

1.30—Dance Music. 1.40—"Eight Bells": World Cruise. Port of call: Sydney; Australia. Written and arranged by Mungo Dewar. 2.40—"London Log."

2.50—The News and Announcements. 3.15—Close down.

Trans. II (G.S.H. G.S.G. G.S.B.).

6.45 p.m.—Big Ben. "Take your Choice." A weekly entertainment feature, presented by William MacLurg. 7.30—"London Log."

7.40—A chronicle by Dewan Sharar. Production by Pascoe Thornton. 8.30—"Milestones of Melody." With Gerald and his Concert Orchestra (by permission of the Savoy Hotel Ltd.). 9.30—The News and Announcements. 9.57—Close down.

Trans. III (G.S.H. G.S.G. G.S.B.).

9.57 p.m.—Opening Announcements. 10—Big Ben. "The Two Leslies" (Leslie Sarony and Leslie Holmes) present the fourth helping of their "Radio Pie."

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Wavelength: 19.68 m.—15.243 Kc.

10 a.m. Gramophone Records. 10.45. Talk on Current French Events by Mr. Dragul-Nicolitch. 11. News in English. 11.15. Concert Relayed from Paris-P.T.T. 11.45. Gramophone Records. 12. Concert Relayed from Paris-P.T.T. 12.30 p.m. News in French. Colonial Market Prices. 1. Message from Paris by Mr. P. Porche. 1.10. Judicial Talk by M. Henri Delmont. 1.20. Gramophone Records. 1.30. Concert: Visciano Orchestra, Miss Lily Danieres (Vocalist), Mr. Jean Georges (Baritone). 3. Close Down.

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Mar. Joffre, Messageries, June 8.	
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Yunnan, B. & S., June 9.	
Emp. of Asia, C.P.S., June 10.	
Scharnhorst, Melchers, June 10.	
Kumsang, J.M. & Co., June 12.	

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Kingyuan, B. & S., May 24.	
Antenor, B. & S., May 24.	
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Gneissau, Melchers, May 29.	
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Cebu.	
Thalatta, Jebson's, May 27.	
Marchen Maerk, Jebson's, May 27.	
Tjinegara, J.C.J. Line, May 31.	

COCHIN

Ryuyo Maru, N.Y.K., May 23.	
Silverash, Furness, May 27.	
Kamo Maru, N.Y.K., May 23.	
Haiphong.	
Muinam, B. & S., May 23.	
Szechuen, B. & S., May 23.	
Canton, C.I.N., May 27.	
Kwangtung, B. & S., May 29.	
Kiungchow, B. & S., June 5.	
Hohat.	
Tanda, E. & A. S.S. Co., June 3.	
Hohow.	
Szechuen, B. & S., May 23.	
Kwangtung, B. & S., May 29.	
Muinam, B. & S., June 1.	
Kiungchow, B. & S., June 5.	

HOLLAND

Thalatta, Jebson's, May 27.	
Marchen Maerk, Jebson's, May 27.	
Madang.	
Neptuna, Gibb's, May 23.	
Friderun, Melchers, June 18.	
Makassar.	
Tjinegara, J.C.J. Line, May 31.	
Manila.	
Thalatta, Jebson's, May 27.	
Silverash, Furness, May 27.	
Kamo Maru, N.Y.K., May 23.	
Gneissau, Melchers, May 29.	
Tamara, Gilman's, May 30.	
Tjinegara, J.C.J. Line, May 31.	
Pres. McKinley, A.M. Line, June 1.	
Emp. of Asia, C.P.S., June 2.	
Tanda, E. & A. S.S. Co., June 3.	
Change, B. & S., June 17.	
Emp. of Canada, C.P.S., June 17.	

MELBOURNE

Neptuna, Gibb's, May 23.	
Kamo Maru, N.Y.K., May 23.	
Tanda, E. & A. S.S. Co., June 3.	
Change, B. & S., June 17.	
Change, B. & S., June 17.	
Change, B. & S., June 17.	
Change, B. & S., June 17.	
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Change, B. & S., June 17.	

MENADO

Kamo Maru, N.Y.K., May 23.	
Tjinegara, J.C.J. Line, May 31.	
Pakhoi.	
Szechuen, B. & S., May 23.	
Kwangtung, B. & S., May 29.	
Kiungchow, B. & S., June 5.	
Rabat.	
Neptuna, Gibb's, May 23.	
Friderun, Melchers, June 18.	
Salomon.	
Neptuna, Gibb's, May 23.	
Pres. Doumer, Messageries, May 29.	
Rays, J.C.J. Line, June 8.	
Aramis, Messageries, June 9.	
Carthage, P. & O., June 11.	
Burdwan, P. & O., June 18.	
Oder, Melchers, June 24.	

SALAMAU

Neptuna, Gibb's, May 23.	
Friderun, Melchers, June 18.	
Sandakan.	
Tai Seun Hong, J.M. & Co., May 26.	
Hinsang, J.M. & Co., June 10.	
Semarang.	
Tjisalak, J.C.J. Line, May 24.	
Tjinegara, J.C.J. Line, May 31.	
Socobala.	
Sydney.	
Neptuna, Gibb's, May 23.	
Kamo Maru, N.Y.K., May 23.	
Tanda, E. & A. S.S. Co., June 3.	
Change, B. & S., June 17.	
Change, B. & S., June 17.	
Change, B. & S., June 17.	

THURSDAY ISLAND

Kamo Maru, N.Y.K., May 23.	
Change, B. & S., June 17.	
Change, B. & S., June 17.	
Change, B. & S., June 17.	
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TULAG

Friderun, Melchers, June 18.	
Westward.	
Aden.	
Chitral, P. & O., May 23.	
Patrol, B. & S., June 3.	
Carthage, P. & O., June 11.	
Burdwan, P. & O., June 18.	
Tamara, Gilman's, May 30.	
Rays, J.C.J. Line, June 8.	
Tamara, Gilman's, May 30.	
Antwerp.	
Tamara, Gilman's, May 30.	
Yasuni Maru, N.Y.K., June 3.	
Burdwan, P. & O., June 18.	
Gneissau, Melchers, May 29.	
Oder, Melchers, June 24.	
Bombay.	
Tokiwa Maru, N.Y.K., May 23.	
Chitral, P. & O., May 23.	
Conte Rosso, Lloyd Triestino, June 4.	
Malacca Maru, N.Y.K., June 4.	
Mirzapore, P. & O., June 6.	
Carthage, P. & O., June 11.	
Burdwan, P. & O., June 18.	
Carthage, P. & O., June 11.	
Burdwan, P. & O., June 18.	

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No. A12—Van Heutz.	
No. B4—Hiram.	
No. B5—Wuchang.	
No. B10—Prosper.	
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No. B21—Kiangsu.	
No. B23—Lyder Sagen.	
No. C1—Helikon.	
No. C2—Liangchow.	

VESSLS DUE

Persian Gulf Ports.

Mirzapore, P. & O., June 5.

Port Said.

Pres. Doumer, Messageries, May 26.
Chitral, P. & O., May 23.
Gneissau, Melchers, May 29.
Tamara, Gilmor's, May 30.
Dannmark, East Asiatic & Co., June 1.
Yasukuni Maru, N.Y.K., June 3.
Conte Rosso, Lloyd Triestino, June 4.
Patrol, B. & S., June 5.
Aramis, Messageries, June 9.
Carthage, P. & O., June 11.
Burdwan, P. & O., June 18.
Oder, Melchers, June 24.

Port Sudan.

Tamara, Gilmor's, May 30.

Port Swettenham.

Sirdhana, B.I. (Aper), June 4.
Kanroon.
Nagato Maru, N.Y.K., May 26.
Malacca Maru, N.Y.K., June 4.
Sirdhana, B.I. (Aper), June 4.
Hai Hing, Thorson's, June 8.

Rotterdam.

Gneissau, Melchers, May 29.
Tamara, Gilmor's, May 30.
Dannmark, East Asiatic & Co., June 1.
Yasukuni Maru, N.Y.K., June 3.
Patrol, B. & S., June 5.
City of Lyons, Bank Line, June 12.
Burdwan, P. & O., June 18.
Oder, Melchers, June 24.

Scandinavian Ports.

Tamara, Gilmor's, May 30.

Southampton.

Gneissau, Melchers, May 29.
Singapore.
Suisang, J.M. & Co., May 23.
Tokura Maru, N.Y.K., May 26.
Van Heuts, J.C.J. Line, May 28.
Pres. Doumer, Messageries, May 29.
Nagato Maru, N.Y.K., May 26.
Santos Maru, O.R.K., May 20.
Gneissau, Melchers, May 29.
Bryuo Maru, N.Y.K., May 23.
Chitral, P. & O., May 23.
Tamara, Gilmor's, May 30.

Aller, Melchers, June 5.
Alster, Melchers, June 5.
Anna Maerk, Jebson's, May 30.
Antenor, B. & S., May 24.
Aramis, Messageries, May 29.
Arizona Maru, N.Y.K., June 4.
Assuan, Jebson's, May 29.
Carthage, P. & O., June 10.
Change, B. & S., June 10.
Chile, East Asiatic & Co., June 3.
Chitral, P. & O., May 23.
Conte Rosso, Lloyd Triestino, May 27.
Grener, J.C.J. Line, May 31.
Dannmark, East Asiatic & Co., June 1.
Emp. of Asia, C.P.S., June 2.
Emp. of Canada, C. P. S., June 17.
Gneissau, Melchers, May 29.
Hakozaki Maru, N.Y.K., June 3.
Kion, B. & S., June 4.
Kamo Maru, N.Y.K., May 27.
Kanchow, B. & S., May 24.
Kwaiyang, B. & S., May 20.
Mar. Joffre, Messageries, June 8.
Marchus Maerk, Jebson's, May 27.
Munang, J.M. & Co., May 24.
Mirzapore, P. & O., June 5.
Nagato Maru, N.Y.K., May 23.
Nankin, E. & A. S.S. Co., June 4.
Oder, Melchers, June 24.
Patrol, B. & S., May 31.
Pres. Doumer, Messageries, May 26.
Pres. McKinley, A.M. Line, May 31.
Pres. Pierce, Dollar, June 3.
Saiputana, P. & O., May 26.
Bryuo, J.C.J. Line, June 8.
Bryuo Maru, N.Y.K., May 29.
Santos Maru, O.R.K., May 20.
Scharnhorst, Melchers, June 3.
Sirdhana, B.I. (Aper), June 2.
Socobala, P. & O., June 8.
Suisang, J.M. & Co., May 23.
Shirala, B.I. (Aper), May 24.
Tai Yang, Thorson's, June 8.
Tamara, Gilmor's, May 30.
Tanda, E. & A. S.S. Co., June 1.
Thalatis, Jebson's, May 27.
Tilawa, B.I. (Aper), June 7.
Tjisadak, J.C.J. Line, June 7.
Tjisalak, J.C.J. Line, May 23.
Tokura Maru, N.Y.K., May 26.
Victoria, Lloyd Triestino, June 10.

SHIPPING MOVEMENTS

S.S. ANTILOCHEUS

The Butterfield and Swire's s.s. Antilochus is expected to arrive from Singapore on May 21 at 10 a.m.

R.M.S. EMPRESS OF JAPAN

The R.M.S. Empress of Japan (Canadian Pacific S.S. Limited) is due here from Manila at 6 a.m. on May 25 (Wednesday), and will berth at Kowloon Wharf. She will leave here for Victoria and Vancouver, B.C. via Shanghai, Kobe, Yokohama and Honolulu at noon on May 27 (Friday).

M.V. ARAMIS

The m.v. Aramis will arrive at Hong Kong from Marseilles via Saigon at 3 p.m. on Tuesday, May 24, and sail most probably at 8 a.m. on Wednesday, May 25, for Shanghai and Kobe.

IN RADIO TOUCH

The following is the list of ships expected to be in wireless communication with Hong Kong Radio—

Tyndareus. Oder Hai Lee, Decadillon, City of Derby, Hai Ching, Turul, Siang Wo, Empress of Japan, President Jefferson, Conte Biancamano, Wuchang, Neptuna, Tainan, Kum Sang, Rajputana.

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LONDON, MARSEILLES, ANTWERP, R'DAM.

KASIMA MARU 21st May

YASUKUNI MARU 23rd May

HAKONE MARU 18th June

LIVERPOOL via Port Said, Beyrouth, Istanbul, Piraeus,

and Marseilles.

LISBON MARU (Calls Saigon) 18th June

SYDNEY & MELBOURNE via Manila and Ports.

*m.v. "NEPTUNA" Monday, 23rd May

(via Saigon, Madang, Salamaua, Rabaul)

KAMO MARU 28th May

ATSUTA MARU 25th June

MADRAS via Straits, Cochin and ports.

BOMBAY via Singapore, Penang and Colombo.

TOKIWA MARU 25th May

TOYAMA MARU 9th June

CALCUTTA via Singapore, Penang and Rangoon.

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Capt. J. Atkins, from Shanghai
and Swatow, at West Point Buoy,
a.m.—B. & S. (Tel. 30331).
Mulinam, Danish, 1,739 reg. tons.
Capt. V. L. Relster, from Singapore
and Hoihow, at West Point Buoy,
a.m.—B. & S. (Tel. 30331).
Chengtu, British, 1,338 registered
tons, from Tientsin and Swatow,
at West Point Buoy, a.m.—B. & S.
(Tel. 30331).Antiochus, British, from Europe
via Singapore, at Holt's Wharf,
a.m.—B. & S. (Tel. 30331).
Tai Sean Hong, French, 1,300
reg. tons, Capt. H. Courquaux,
from Sandakan, at buoy No. B22,
a.m.—J. M. and Co. (Tel. 30311).

DUE TOMORROW

Sul Sang, British, 2,208 reg.
tons, Capt. T. Hughes, from
Kobe, at buoy No. A7, a.m.—
J. M. and Co. (Tel. 30311).
Talyuan, British, 2,100 registered
tons, Capt. J. K. Clark, from
Shanghai, at buoy No. B2, p.m.—
B. & S. (Tel. 30331).Foe Shing, British, 1,423 reg.
tons, Capt. C. M. Boas, from
Swatow, at West Point Wharf,
a.m.—J. M. and Co. (Tel. 30311).
Hoihow, British, 1,829 reg. tons,
from Tientsin, at West Point buoy,
a.m.—B. & S. (Tel. 30331).
Anhui, British, 2,080 registered
tons, Capt. W. M. Christie, from
Singapore, at West Point buoy,
a.m.—B. & S. (Tel. 30331).

SAILING TODAY

City of Rayville, American, 3,660
reg. tons, Captain A. P. Brown,
from Kowloon Bay, for Shanghai,
daylight.—Thoresen and Co. (Tel.
30237).Soudan, British, 3,477 registered
tons, Capt. D. L. Collings, from
buoy No. A1, for Singapore and
Europe, 6 a.m.—M. M. and Co.
(Tel. 27721).Tjinegara, Dutch, 5,783 reg.
tons, Capt. J. Adriaanse, from
buoy No. A17, for Amoy and
Shanghai, a.m.—J. C. J. Line (Tel.
28015).Protestant, British, 6,110 reg.
tons, Capt. Longair, from buoy
No. A3, for Saigon and Europe,
a.m.—B. & S. (Tel. 30331).
Pres. Cleveland, American, 8,180
reg. tons, Capt. C. J. Kistad, from
Kowloon Wharf, for Kobe and
U.S.A., 11 a.m.—Dollar S.S. Line
(Tel. 28171).Helikon, British, 1,220 reg. tons
Capt. W. Anderson, from buoy
No. C1, for Saigon, 6 p.m.—
W. Fat Shing (Tel. 20005).
Van Heutz, Dutch, 2,748 reg.
tons, Capt. G. H. Beurts, from
buoy No. A12, for Swatow, 11 a.m.
—J. C. J. Line (Tel. 28015).ARRIVED
YESTERDAYUnita, Norwegian, 2,345 reg.
tons, Capt. H. Kvamsø, from
Chinwangtao, at Lai Chi Kok—
Dodwell and Co. (Tel. 28021).
Taina, British, 6,154 reg. tons.
Captain C. C. Gwyn, from Kobe,
at buoy No. A7—M. M. and Co.
(Tel. 27721).Conte Blancamano, Italian,
13,882 reg. tons, Capt. G. Farrara,
from Shanghai, at Kowloon
Wharf—Lloyd Triestino (Tel.
32983).Protestant, British, 6,110 reg.
tons, Capt. Longair, from Japan,
at buoy No. A8—B. and S. (Tel.
30331).Soudan, British, 3,477 registered
tons, Capt. D. L. Collings, from
Shanghai, at buoy No. A1—M. M.
and Co. (Tel. 27721).Kinsuan, British, 1,546 reg. tons,
from Halphong via Pakhoi and Hoihow,
at buoy No. B14—B. and S. (Tel. 30331).Empress of Japan, British, 15,725
reg. tons, Capt. L. D. Douglas, from
Vancouver and Shanghai, at Kow-
loon Wharf—C. P. S. (Tel. 20752).Neptuna, British, 3,607 registered
tons, Capt. F. Vogelmann, from
Manila, at Kowloon Wharf—
Gibb Livingston and Co. (Tel.
28031).City of Rayville, American, 3,660
reg. tons, Captain A. P. Brown,
from Manila at Kowloon Bay—
Thoresen and Co. (Tel. 30237).Kashima Maru Japanese, 5,147
reg. tons, Capt. K. Fukuda, from
Keelung—N. Y. K. (Tel. 30291).Nanchang, British, 1,488 reg.
tons, Capt. J. Middleton, from
Hoihow, at buoy No. B3—Wing
Fung Cheung (Tel. 31629).SAILED
YESTERDAYTural for Hongay,
Shootas Island for Keelung,
Shoviken for Swatow,
Sagres for Port Redon,
Kashima Maru for Singapore,
Empress of Japan for Manila,
Klangsu for Swatow,
Liangchow for Hongay.

R.M.A. DORADO

The Imperial Airways R.M.A.
Dorado left yesterday at 11.30 a.m.
with one passenger for Singapore,
147,787 kilos of mail and 4,847
kilos of freight.PEAK HOUSE STRUCK
BY LIGHTNINGNo. 401, the Peak, was struck
by lightning during the storm
which broke over the Colony in
the early hours of yesterday mor-
ning.
The damage was not serious, but
the flash hit the roof and tore a
small hole and put the entire
lighting circuit out of action.SAILING
TOMORROWKalgan, British, 1,556 reg. tons,
Captain S. M. Barling, from
buoy No. B20, for Swatow and
Bangkok, 4 p.m.—B. and S. (Tel.
30331).Anubis, German, 3,002 reg. tons,
Capt. Hollmann, from Kowloon
Bay, for Cebu, a.m.—Jensen & Co.
(Tel. 31205).Hiram, Norwegian, 1,508 reg.
tons, Captain T. Olsen, from
buoy No. B4, for Swatow and
Bangkok, 11 a.m.—Thoresen & Co.
(Tel. 30237).Seluang, British, 1,594 reg. tons,
Capt. L. V. Rowe, from West Point
buoy, for Swatow and Shanghai, 4
p.m.—B. and S. (Tel. 30331).Conte Blancamano, Italian,
13,882 reg. tons, Capt. G. Farrara,
from Kowloon Wharf, for Manila
& Europe, 4 p.m.—Lloyd Triestino
(Tel. 32983).Nanchang, British, 1,488 reg.
tons, Capt. J. Middleton, from
buoy No. B14, for Bangkok, p.m.—
Wing Fung Cheung (Tel. 31639).Taina, British, 6,154 reg. tons,
Capt. C. C. Gwyn, from buoy No.
A7, for Singapore and Calcutta,
10 a.m.—M. M. and Co. (Tel.
27721).

PASSENGERS

Arrivals By The
Emp. Of JapanThe Canadian Pacific liner Em-
press of Japan arrived yesterday,
from Vancouver, via ports, with
the following passengers:—Mr. L. H. Buchanan, Miss L. M.
Kerster, Mr. and Mrs. A. W.
Gibson, Mrs. W. D. Griffiths, Mr.
W. H. Burt, Mr. Wm. Dechert,
Mr. K. Doulatram, Mr. and Mrs.
A. N. Futehally, Master S. Fute-
hally, Miss R. Futehally, Mr. E.
Hansen, Mr. J. M. Walther, Mr. E.
Abderhalden.Mr. A. C. Beard, Mr. O. Brunker,
Mr. J. F. Chaney, Mr. T. W. Chu,
Mr. J. S. Clark, Mr. F. Clume, Mr.
V. Crowe, Mr. T. Detarum, Mr.
V. Crowe, Mr. and Mrs. T. Detarum,
and four children. Mr. G. Fan,
Mr. M. Faure, Mrs. H. A.
Gluckauf.Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Handcomb,
Mr. Hoang Che Ti, Mr. G. Huang,
Mr. H. F. Ray, Mr. C. Klerem, Mr.
E. Lewis, Mr. V. Liu, Mrs. W. G.
MacDonald, Mr. A. H. Pontius, Mrs.
J. S. Potter, Mr. J. Roper, Mr. R.
Roxburgh.Mr. M. L. Southwick, Mr. S.
Stafford, Mr. M. Stranack, Mr. G.
C. Thorley, Mr. and Mrs. K. T.
Tsiang, Master Tsiang, Mr. and
Mrs. G. F. Tyrol, Mr. E. Y. Woo,
Mr. G. C. Zee, Mr. Tong Chung Ho,
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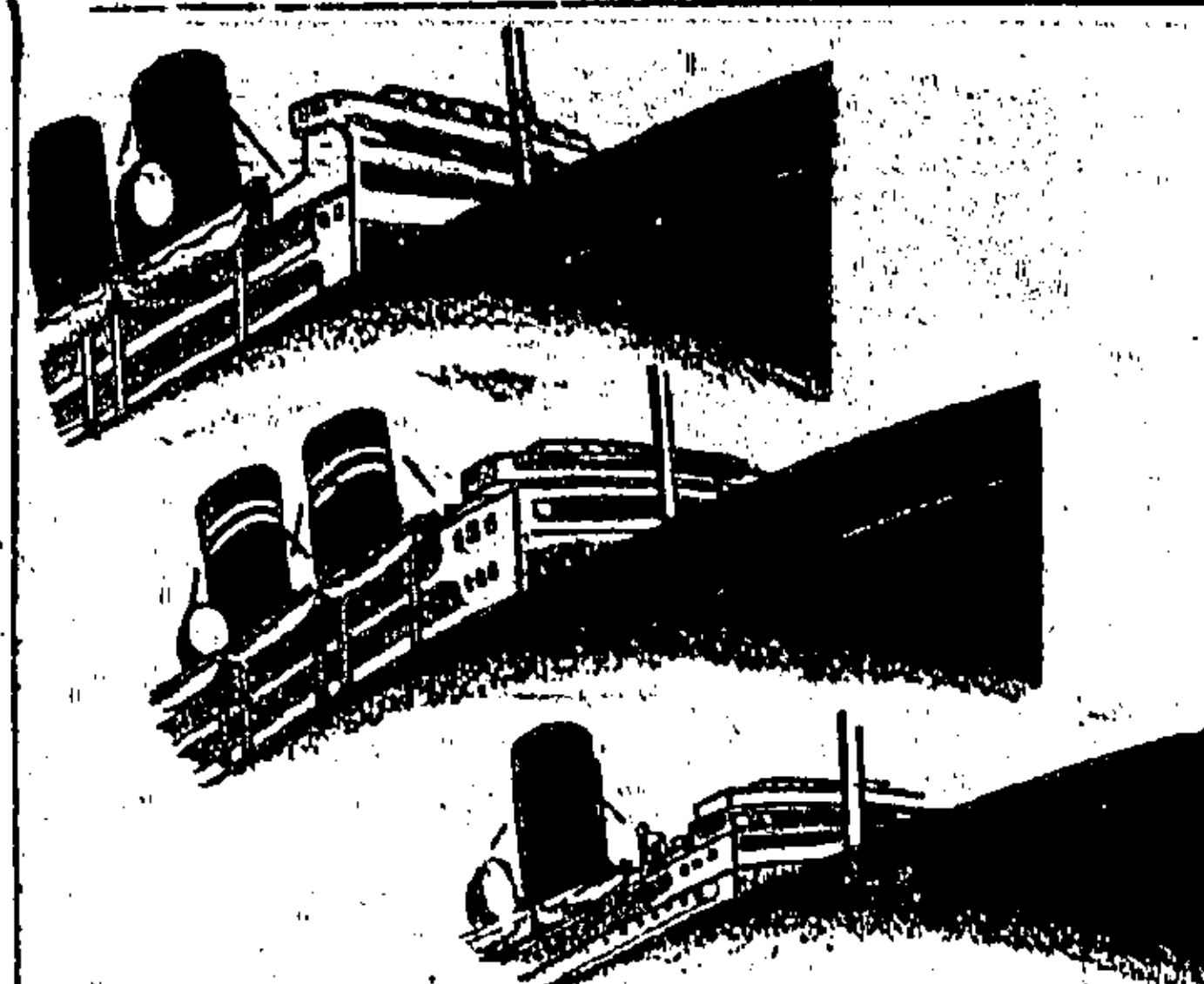
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TILAWA	10,000	9th June	Amoy & Japan
BANCHI	17,000	9th June	Shanghai & Japan
NALDERA	17,000	23rd June	Shanghai & Japan
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OXFORD FORCE A DRAW

E.J.H. Dixon In Form

After having had the worse of the first two days' play Oxford made such a splendid recovery in their second innings that they were able to force a draw in their match against Yorkshire, writes a Home correspondent.

In the morning Oxford did none too well, as the luncheon interval they were only five runs to the good with half their batsmen out. A very different story might have had to be told had E. J. H. Dixon been caught at square-leg just after the game was resumed and with his total less than 60. He had been a thorn in the Yorkshire bowlers' side.

It was mainly due to him, he is by the way, a Yorkshireman, that Yorkshire were robbed of all chances of a clear-cut victory. Dixon played a remarkable innings. Altogether he was at the wicket for six hours, his average rate of scoring being 18 runs an hour.

PATIENCE AND RESTRAINT

What Oxford would have done without this great effort of patience and restraint can be left to the imagination, but certainly the side owed their fine recovery almost entirely to him. It would be strange, even in an innings in which the aggressive spirit was conspicuous by its absence, if it had been entirely flawless. At 29 Dixon hit a ball from Verity hard to fine-leg and A. B. Sellers, with his long reach, just touched it. A run later Leyland failed to hold a hot return. The only real chance was offered at 56, when Barber, fielding at square-leg, got the ball into his hands and then dropped it. Dixon was eventually bowled at 318 for the first century he has made for the University. He hit the inevitable loose ball in the proper manner, and it was from these he scored most of his 13 boundaries, but now and again he would make a glorious off-drive just to show that he is not entirely devoid of strokes. Great credit is also due to H. G. Jeff, who after a very doubtful

TRAINING GALLOPS

The following times were clocked during the morning gallops at the Race Course yesterday:—

	Distance	1st.	2nd.	Last
		Qr.	Qr.	Qr.
Laughing Girl	1/2	29.1		29.1
Desert Star	1/2	30.1		30.1
Humdrum Eve	1/2	30		30
Brutus	1/2	28.4	55.3	28.4
Royal Highness	1/2	34	1.04	30
National Defence	1/2	34.1	1.04	29.4
Vixen Tor	1/2	27		27
Diogenes	1/2	36	1.07	31
Blastre	1/2	30.1		30.1
Easy Time	1/2	32		32
Derby Day	1/2	28		28
Lucky Lad	1/2	33.2	1.01.2	28
Lancashire Chips	1/2	27.2	55.1	27.4
Electron	1/2	31	58	27
Araxy	1/2	35.3	1.07.3	32
Courting Eve	1/2	30	57	27
Jobber	1/2	30.3		30.3
Final Triumph	1/2	32		32
National Dignity	1/2	32.2		32.2
Aztec	1/2	28.1	55	28.4
New Star	1/2	30.4	1.00.1	29.2
Lancashire Chap	1/2	32.2		32.2
Red Feather	1/2	40.1	1.11	30.4
Strathroy	1/2	27.1		27.1
Snowy River and Rex	1/2	27.2		27.2
Tabby Cat	1/2	32.1	1.03	30.4
Scenic View	1/2	31	1.01	30
Centre Court	1/2	28		28
Racing Boy and Gold Sovereign	1/2	33.4	1.04	30.1
Laughing Buddha	1/2	30.1		30.1
Fowey	1/2	28.4		28.4
Golden Cow	1/2	30.4		30.4
Sea Dragon	1/2	30.2	1.03	32.3
Atomic Star and Gordito	1/2	31.4	1.04.2	32.3
Cuban Love	1/2	32.4	1.03.3	30.4
Night View	1/2	29.2	1.01	31.3
King's Head	1/2	35.1	1.08	31.4
Honeymoon Eve	1/2	29.1	58.4	29.3
Sahara Star	1/2	30.4		30.4
Home Brew	1/2	27.2		27.2
Dekko	1/2	29.1		29.1
Expression Time	1/2	33.1	1.03.3	30.2
Rose Jane and Smiling Thru	1/2	36	1.08	32
Meteor	1/2	31.2		31.2
Soldier of China	1/2	30		30
Fei Ying and Yum Seng	1/2	32.3	1.04	31.2
Gold Coin	1/2	30.2		30.2
Commencement Bay	1/2	34.2	1.04.2	30
Tornado Star	1/2	26.4		26.4
Piet Hein and Good Morning	1/2	35.4	1.04.1	30.2
Wenning	1/2	32.3		32.3

start stayed in for an hour and a half and helped Dixon to put on 80 runs for the seventh wicket. The Yorkshire bowling, in the absence of Bowes and with Leyland, owing to a slight strain, only able to bowl a few overs, did not seem of the match-winning kind, although Verity's length was as immaculate as ever.

Yorkshire: 429
Oxford: 231 and 344 for 8.

VOLUNTEER ORDERS

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Pte. C. H. Gutierrez, A.A. Company Reserve, No. 9 Platoon, 20.5.38.
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Lieut. D. L. Strellett, Reserve of Officers, from 12.5.38 to 15.6.38.

STRENGTH—DECREASE
Pte. E. Quinlan, No. 1 M.G. Company, 14.5.38.

STRENGTH—INCREASE
Pte. L. M. Remedios, 32, Hillwood Road, A.A. Company, 16.5.38.

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NOTICES

Water Polo

A water polo match between the 1st Bn. The Middlesex Regiment and the Corps will be played on Friday, June 3 in the V.R.C. Bath commencing at 6 p.m.

In order that the best team to represent the Corps can be selected a match between possibles and probables will be arranged. Those wishing to take part in this game should communicate with Lieut. Ross c/o Falconer & Co. as soon as possible.

Corps Annual Aquatic Sports
The Annual Aquatic Sports will be held at the V.R.C. bath on Saturday, July 9, 1938 at 9.15 p.m. The first committee meeting will be held at Volunteer Headquarters on Tuesday, May 31 at 6.30 p.m. when all Units are asked to send representatives. The general committee members already appointed are:—

Major E. J. R. Mitchell, O.B.E. (President); Captain C. de S. Robertson, M.M.; Lt. F. W. T. Ross; 2/Lt. W. H. Owen; C.S.M. G. T. Padgett, M.B.E.

AFFILIATED UNIT
Nursing Detachment, H.K.V.D.C.

The next lecture on Home Nursing will be given by Mrs. Stout at the P.W.D. Offices at 5.30 p.m. on Monday, May 23.
(Sgd.) MRS. E. M. BEGG, Commandant, Nursing Detachment, H.K.V.D.C.

P. S. Cassidy, A. Nisim, W. J. Brown, G. S. Archbutt (skip).

KOWLOON TONG
C. Mose, J. Tang, J. L. Stephens, A. Spary (skip).

W. J. Howard, T. K. Lim, V. Atienza, H. Gittins (skip).

A. E. Castro, H. Y. Hsu, Y. Abbas, A. H. Basto (skip).

Lawn Bowls Teams For Week-End Matches

In their league bowls fixtures today the Hong Kong Football Club will be represented by the following teams:—

Second Div. "A" Team v. C.C.C. (Away)

J. S. Howell, A. W. Hodges, J. Russell, J. Rodger (skip).
R. P. Shaw, E. Strange, G. Duncan, W. Gill (skip).
W. Butler, G. S. Graver, N. Bebbington, A. Brooksbank (skip).

Second Div. "B" Team v. Talkoo (Away)

S. Strange, E. S. Carter, L. Lammer, F. Haynes (skip).
A. McKellar, T. Rowell, H. V. Pearce, E. Tuck (skip).
F. H. Glover, C. B. Robertson, J. Beach, J. A. R. Selby (skip).

Third Div. v. Yacht Club (Home)

C. G. Solis, R. Edwards, R. Fitches, J. Fegg (skip).
S. A. Marsell, A. Steven, S. Cressey, V. Walker (skip).
A. M. Didsbury, A. Thomson, J. Skinner, R. A. Trengrove (skip).

First Reserve—G. E. Smith.

KOWLOON B.C.C.

First Team at King's Park

A. J. Hall, G. E. F. Thompson, T. Armstrong, L. Guy (skip).
John Watson, S. M. White, A. Hyde Lay, R. Duncan (skip).
R. P. Phillips, A. Macfarlane, G. B. Hosking, E. W. Lines (skip).

Second Team at Austin Road

E. V. Searle, G. C. Norman, K. C. Hamilton, J. G. Meyer (skip).
A. MacIntyre, Jack Watson, D. W. Waterton, W. S. Drake (skip).
H. L. Lockhart, H. E. Drew, F. A. Cheesman, J. S. Logan (skip).

CLUB DE BECCLEIO

First Div. (Home) v. K.B.C.C.
J. Luz, J. F. V. Ribeiro, A. A. Remedios, H. A. Alves (skip).
L. F. Xavier, D. C. Alves, F. V. V. Ribeiro, R. F. Luz (skip).

Second Div. (Away) v. K.B.C.C.

F. A. Machado, C. A. Lopes, C. H. Basto, J. J. Basto (skip).
C. C. Pereira, F. A. Xavier, Dr. A. P. Gutierrez, B. Basto (skip).
L. A. Gutierrez, A. V. Barros, L. I. Silva, F. X. Soares (skip).

Third Div. (Home) v. K.C.C.

F. Prata, J. M. O. Sequeira, O. P. Remedios, C. R. Pereira (skip).

J. Figueiredo, C. P. Basto, H. A. B. Botelho, J. M. Rosario (skip).

A. F. Noronha, A. M. Xavier, M. A. Carvalho, P. A. Yvanovich (skip).

POLICE TEAMS

W. Campbell, W. McHardy, W. Hollands, J. Shepherd (skip).
W. Cameron, J. Fender, J. Orem, W. Mair (skip).

W. McLeod, C. Dowman, G. Perkins, E. G. Post (skip).
Reserve: J. S. Riddell.

H. Brown, S. Farlow, A. Wright, A. E. Carey (skip).

W. Glendinning, F. Channing, R. Ellis, F. Booker (skip).

J. Edwards, T. Tallon, F. Nolan, G. C. Moss (skip).

Reserves: C. Soutar, L. Glendinning.

KOWLOON C.C.

W. Mulcahy, J. M. Brown, R. Craig, E. Kern (skip).

A. E. Silkstone, T. A. Madar, H. Overy, E. C. Fincher (skip).

W. Hyde, L. Jack, A. W. Smith, J. Hyde (skip).

Third Div. K.C.C. v. Club de Beccleio (Away)

A. J. Kew, A. E. Perry, A. W. Ramsey, W. W. Hirst (skip).
A. A. Dand, C. J. Tacchi, R. H. E. Marks, H. Nish (skip).
V. C. Labrum, W. T. French, J. M. Jack, T. Carr (skip).

A Wappingshaw match will be arranged for 3.30 p.m. for those players who are not taking part in League games.

H.K. ELECTRIC

A. N. Othier, R. C. Butler, S. Deacon, J. Sloan (skip).

J. F. Barron, G. S. Thomson, A. F. Paul, L. de Rom (skip).

A. Tarbuck, J. F. Hedley, G. T. Padgett, W. H. Musket (skip).

KOWLOON DOCK R.C.

J. G. Ozerio, W. Houston, J. Kempton, J. McKelvie (skip).

J. V. Ramsay, M. Ferguson, S. Gray, H. G. Cooper (skip).

A. M. Calman, J. Revie, G. N. Mitchell, F. Cullen (skip).

YACHT CLUB TEAM

W. A. Corneli, A. S. Mitchell, P. I. Hamilton, J. A. D. Morrison (skip).

W. J. Hansen, B. Naess, R. H. Wild, A. Murdoch (skip).

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Manila	Pel Ping	21st May
Japan	Nako Maru	22nd May
Shanghai and Swatow	Taiyuan	22nd May
Tientsin	Holchow	22nd May
Straits	Anhui	23rd May
Straits	Antenor	23rd May
Java	Tjialak	23rd May
Calcutta and Straits	Mausang	24th May
Calcutta and Straits	Shirala	24th May
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Straits and Europe via Suez (Letters and Papers) London date, 28th April—London parcels—London date, 28th April	Rajputana	25th May
Air Mail by "Pan-American Airways Direct Service"—San Francisco date, 18th May	Pin American Airways Plane	25th May
Air Mail by "Imperial Airways Direct Service"—London date, 19th May	Imperial Airways Plane	25th May
Manila	Emp. of Japan	25th May
Saloon	Aramis	25th May
Japan	Santos Maru	25th May
Japan and Shanghai	Pres. Doumer	25th May
Bangkok	Kwelyang	25th May
Japan and Shanghai	Chitral	27th May

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